Today's Weather. Fair and Colder.

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The reaction in New York stocks checked and the market closed strong. Tractions reached new high prices. Pittsburgh Plate Glass jumped 6 points and Crucible preferred rallied. Wheat, corn and oats closed lower in Chicago.—Pages 12 and 13.

## THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair and cooler weather is predicted for tomorrow and fair weather for Saturday for Pittsburgh and vicinity by the Washington observer. The maximum temperature yesterday was 77 and the minimum 60 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:39 and set clear at 5:22 yesterday. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

| Time. | Baro. | Tem. | Hum. | Wind. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 a. m. | 29.82 | 61 | 64 | S. E. | Pt. Cldy |
| 8 p. m. | 29.63 | 67 | 54 | S. E. | Pt. Cldy |

Comparative temperature and precipitation for October 20:

| | 1904 | 1903 | | 1904 | 1903 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Maximum | 77 | 70 | Mean | 68 | 61 |
| Minimum | 60 | 52 | Precipitation | 0 | 0 |
| Nor. tem. 31 yrs. | 54 | | Nor. precip. 31 yrs. | .07 | |
| Excess for day | 14 | | Defcy. for day | .07 | |
| Excess since Oct 1. | 34 | | Excess since Oct 1. | .16 | |
| Defcy. since Jan. 1. | 485 | | Excess since Jan. 1. | .29 | |

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Forecast:

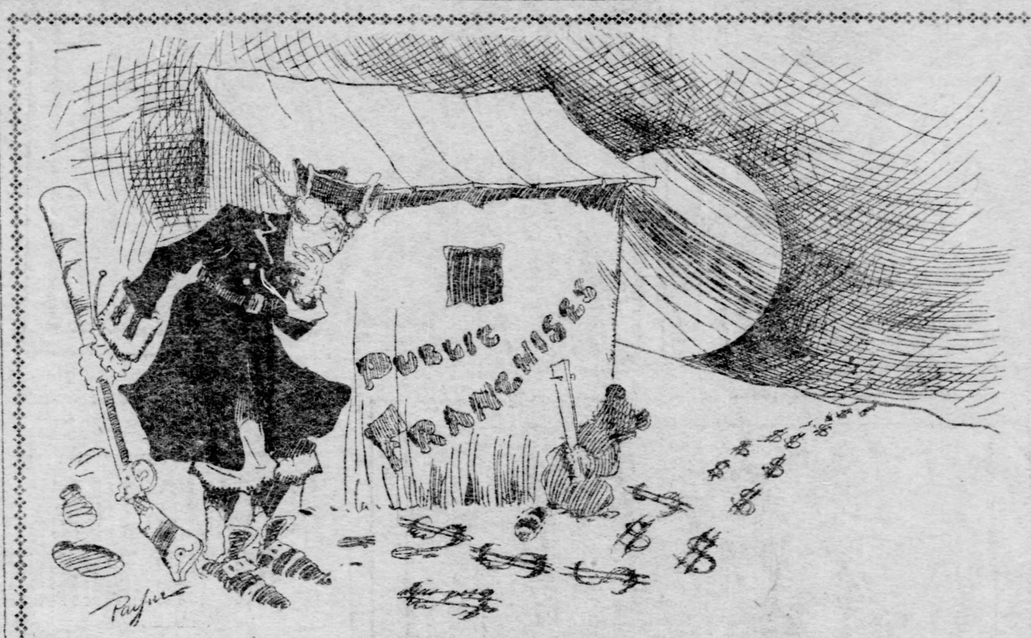
Western Pennsylvania—Fair and colder Friday; Saturday fair, fresh west winds.

West Virginia—Fair and colder Friday; Saturday fair.

Ohio—Fair Friday, preceded by rain along the lake; Saturday fair, brisk west winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 52 Clear | New York | 60 Cloudy |
| Columbus | 50 Clear | Washington | 60 Cloudy |
| Chicago | 64 Rain | Jacksonville | 72 Rain |
| Indianapo's | 50 Cloudy | New Orleans | 68 Clear |
| Parkersb'g | 54 Rain | Atlanta | 70 Pt. Cldy |
| DesMoines | 50 Cloudy | Norfolk | 66 Cloudy |
| St. Louis | 56 Rain | Vicksburg | 62 Clear |
| Kansas City | 54 Clear | El Paso | 62 Clear |
| Wichita | 58 Clear | Salt Lake | 50 Clear |
| Nashville | 58 Clear | Santa Fe | 46 Clear |
| Memphis | 60 Clear | Pueblo | 52 Clear |
| Louisville | 56 Clear | San Antonio | 68 Clear |
| Chattan'ga | 62 Clear | Cleveland | 52 Pt. Cldy |
| Omaha | 52 Cloudy | Buffalo | 66 Cloudy |
| Marquette | 42 Cloudy | Duluth | 44 Clear |
| Philadelp'a | 62 Cloudy | Galveston | 70 Clear |




Tracks Around the Franchise Coop.

# KILLED 50,000 BEFORE FORTS

## Japanese Suffer Enormous Loss of Life at Port Arthur.

## SOLDIERS RECKLESS

### Mikado's Men Make Wild Rushes on Russians' Strongest Positions.

## WARSHIPS BROUGHT IN PLAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—A special to the Daily News from Chefoo says: According to a camp follower, who has been for some time with the Japanese army now besieging Port Arthur, and who is at present in Chefoo, having arrived at Dalny, the number of Japanese killed before the forts has reached 50,000. He says the mikado's men recklessly attacked the strongest positions, making wild rushes in masses, the soldiers being stripped of their accoutrements and clothing. The result was that the Russian machine guns mowed them down. He also asserts that there is more talk among the officers and men that leads to the belief that the Japanese mean to try to carry the inner forts and citadel this month.

CHEFOO, Oct. 20.—The most important recent events at Port Arthur include the capture by the Japanese of further minor positions near Rihlung mountain and the severe damage of a Japanese torpedo boat destroyer by striking a floating mine.

Surprise for Russians.

According to Chinese advices, which are confirmed by Japanese letters from Port Dalny, the Japanese made assaults on the remaining outer works of Rihlung mountain at dawn, October 8, and were repulsed. The following day the Russians made at attack on the Japanese trenches, and they in turn were repulsed. The Japanese immediately followed with another assault, resulting in the capture of an iron railroad bridge and the heights south of the bridge, which is 500 yards from the fortress.

The importance of these captures lies in the fact that they curtail the Russian fire in harassing Japanese who may attempt to advance on the trenches located on the slope of Rihlung mountain. This attack seems to have been a surprise for the Russians, the Japanese claiming that they lost only 50 men. Since the capture of the points mentioned the Japanese assert that they have successfully resisted numerous sorties in attempts to recapture them.

Bombarded by Torpedo Boats.

October 12 seven Russian torpedo boat destroyers emerged from the harbor of Port Arthur and later they were followed by two more destroyers. This squadron proceeded to Shaopingtau and bombarded the Japanese left flank. Four Japanese torpedo boat destroyers hurried to the scene and the Russians retired to the harbor, followed by the Japanese. The pursuit ceased upon entering the mined area. One Japanese destroyer, while returning, hit a mechanical mine and was severely damaged, but she managed to reach Port Dalny and is now being repaired.

Meanwhile the Japanese siege guns continued to drop big shells in the harbor, the Japanese claiming that they damaged the Russian gunboat Giliak, which is alleged to have been hit three times and to have changed her anchorage from the east basin to the shelter of Tiger Hill. It is also believed that the funnel of another Russian warship was pierced, as a dense cloud of smoke followed the landing of a shell on board of her.

Fighting Was Severe.

The Japanese at Taku mountain have dropped a ceaseless storm of shells on the Chinese town and many rifle bullets also fell in the place. A Chinaman adds that the fighting was very severe and that the Japanese loss was considerable. He says he left Port Arthur October 18 because he was frightened by the shells.

It is asserted that the Russian force at Port Arthur now numbers 5,000 men, excluding the militia, which is not engaged in the fighting, but patrols the streets, doing provost duty and guards the arsenals.

Winter clothing is very scarce at Port Arthur, shoes particularly. The Russian soldiers are wearing Chinese shoes, and some of them are unable to obtain even these, and wrap rags about their feet. The garrison is greatly worn out by the many months of exhausting, anxious labor and fighting. The town is full of wounded. Flour is plentiful and the slaughter of horses, mules and donkeys continues.

Chinese who have reached Chefoo from Port Dalny say that Japanese reinforcements continue to arrive daily. The Japanese confirm this. A junk which reached this port today from Port Dalny was allowed to leave only on condition that she take no coolies, whom the Japanese are using in large numbers in constructing warehouses and removing the dead and wounded. The wounded are taken to the railroad and thence are transported to Dalny, from which port they are shipped to Japan.

The Japanese have practically completed immense warehouses between Port Dalny and Port Arthur and have therein supplies sufficient to last them until spring. Similar preparations have been made at Nuichwang.

Contract Awarded for Ore Steamers.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 20.—The Pittsburgh Steamship Company today placed an order with the American Shipbuilding Company for four large ore steamers to cost $430,000 each. The boats will be 569 feet long, nine feet longer than the steamer A. B. Wolvin. They will have a capacity of 10,000 tons and a mean draft of 19 feet. Two of the boats will be built at South Chicago. The yard for the other two has not yet been decided upon. The vessels will come out next July.

# TAFT RECEIVES PROTEST ON BRIDGE QUESTION

## Railroad Attorneys Claim Decision of 1825 Prevents Matter Being Reopened.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—A brief has been filed with the secretary of war by Dalzell, Scott & Gordon, attorneys for the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railway, protesting against reopening the question of raising the bridges over the Allegheny river at Pittsburgh. The attorneys claim that under a decision rendered by Attorney General Wirt in 1825 Secretary Taft has no authority to reopen the case.

Mr. Wirt held that the decision of an executive officer of the government with judicial powers could not be reviewed by his successor, but must stand. The brief was received by Secretary Taft, but it is not likely that any action will be taken with regard to the Ft. Wayne bridge at present. It is the secretary's intention to consider all of the bridge cases together and dispose of them at one time.

This will probably be done early in December. The Ft. Wayne structure is a new one recently rebuilt in connection with the elevation of the tracks through Allegheny, and which involved the expenditure of a large sum. Consequently the question of raising the Allegheny river bridges is an important one to the railroad company.

# SILVERITES IN WEST NOT STRONG FOR PARKER

## Chairman Taggart's Assistant Says the Judge Is Not Popular in Rocky Mountain States.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—When Chairman Taggart went to Indiana yesterday he left in his place as president of the Ten O'Clock club Joseph Lamb, who, when he is not campaigning for the Parker cause, is secretary to Senator Newlands of Nevada. Mr. Lamb met the reporters today after opening the chairman's mail and telegrams.

"I can only tell you about the Rocky mountain states," said Mr. Lamb. "In Nevada Judge Parker is not popular among the silver element, and as you know our state is strongly interested in silver, Parker will run behind the state ticket. In other Rocky mountain states similar conditions prevail. In Utah and Idaho, where the issue is Mormonism, the fight is largely a state contest, and Parker will fall behind the state ticket.

"In Colorado the issue is anti-Peabody and the state ticket will run far ahead of the national ticket. In Montana, as in all these other states, Roosevelt is very popular, and Judge Parker is not getting strong support from the silver element."

# THREW CATS AT HER.

## Court Held This Sufficient Cause for Granting Woman Divorce from a Boston Business Man.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—"He brought cats into the house and threw them at me, when he knew I had a perfect horror of them," testified Mrs. Lucy Hoagland today in her uncontested suit for divorce from her husband, R. P. Hoagland, a well-known Boston business man. She said that her husband drank heavily and abused her in language and personal treatment, and that she finally had to leave him. Regarding her husband's resources, Mrs. Hoagland testified that he cleared anywhere from $20,000 to $40,000 annually from his business. Mrs. Hoagland was granted a divorce and the custody of her children.

# CORPS OF WOMEN SWINDLERS

## Women in Green Collected Thousands of Dollars at World's Fair and National Convention.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Rachael Gorman, head of the "home of epileptics," at Blue Island, today was charged in court with swindling charitably inclined persons of Chicago out of $200 a day, collected by a corps of women in a green garb of sisters of charity.

The fact that the women in green have operated extensively in St. Louis during the world's fair and collected thousands of dollars in the Democratic and Republican national conventions in St. Louis and Chicago was brought out.

Dropped Dead When Trains Collided.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—R. J. Laws, superintendent of the Sacramento division of the South Pacific railroad, dropped dead today of heart disease when a west-bound express on which he was a passenger collided with the rear end of a stock train at Yuba pass.

# PREDICTION BY SENATOR SCOTT

## Declares Roosevelt Will Carry Every State Outside of the Solid South.

## EVEN MARYLAND DEBATABLE

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Oct. 20.

In a formal statement today Senator Scott of West Virginia, who is chairman of the executive committee of the Republican national committee, and, after Chairman Cortelyou, the highest authority in the Republican campaign management, predicts a sweeping victory for Roosevelt, and expresses the belief that Parker will be beaten as badly as Greeley was in 1872.

Senator Scott claims for Roosevelt everyone of the so-called doubtful states. Maryland he calls debatable ground, with the chances about even. In short, he claims for Roosevelt the whole country with the exception of the states composing the solid south.

New York state, Senator Scott says, will give Roosevelt a majority of from 50,000 to 75,000. Owing to the activity of the superintendent of elections, he says, the Democratic majority below the Bronx will be cut down to less than 90,000. In the course of his statement Senator Scott says:

New Jersey and Connecticut are as safely Republican as Massachusetts. There is not a doubtful state in that group of states known as the middle west, and in this group I include also Indiana, which will give Roosevelt 20,000 majority, while the Pacific slope, California, Oregon and Washington, will register a record-breaking majority.

The intermountain states are naturally Republican, and have returned to their former party allegiance. I believe that everyone of them, Colorado, Utah, Idaho and Montana, will cast its vote for Roosevelt. All my advices are to that effect, although it was thought some weeks ago that Montana might be carried for Parker. Maryland is debatable ground, with an even chance of our carrying it.

If any doubt existed that West Virginia would remain in the Republican column it has been removed. West Virginia is, as all know, dependent for its prosperity upon a protective tariff; quite as dependent as the neighboring states of Ohio and Pennsylvania. It is unnecessary here to repeat to West Virginia the story of our industrial and commercial development under the protection afforded by Republican tariff policies, and these policies they do not intend to change merely to elevate a few aspiring Democrats to power.

When our industrial conditions were properly adjusted to it a remarkable expansion of business set in, followed by a period of prosperity in which everybody shared. I now make the same prediction about the proposed tax law in West Virginia. Its results have been carefully calculated, and in the benefits the entire state will share. It ought to be given a fair trial, and I believe that the people will so decide.

# GIGANTIC TOBACCO CONCERN CHARTERED

## Authorized Captial is $180,000,000—Follows Dismissal of Injunction Against Reorganization.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 20.—The American Tobacco Company today filed a charter with the secretary of state, the incorporation of the gigantic concern closely following the decision of the court of chancery which removed the injunction against the reorganization of the tobacco trust. The companies in this new merger are the American Tobacco Company and the Continental Tobacco Company.

The authorized capital of the concern is $180,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of common stock at $100 each, and $30,000,000 worth of preferred stock, the latter bearing 6 per cent cumulative dividends.

# GUARDS AT SHIPYARDS.

## Government Takes Steps to Protect Warships in the Process of Construction from Wreckers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Alarmed at repeated and mysterious attempts that have been made recently to wreck battleships prior to their launching steps were taken today to protect all government warships in course of construction. It is probable that marine guards will patrol all shipyards where government boats are being built. There was an important conference today between Gen. Elliott, in charge of the marine corps; Admiral Converse, chief of the bureau of navigation, and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Darling.

The unprecedented action of the government in assigning a marine guard for the armored cruiser Pennsylvania at the Cramp yard in Philadelphia will probably be duplicated in every ship-building yard where there is reason to fear injury to the new ships.

# MRS. PHIPPS EXCUSED HUSBAND FOR WHISTLING

## Divorced Couple Were Happy Together Again—They Meet in Denver and Take Lunch.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

DENVER, COL., Oct. 20.—"Excuse me for whistling," said Lawrence C. Phipps of Denver and Pittsburgh, looking into the laughing eyes of his recently divorced wife, Genevieve Chandler Phipps, as the two stood within the doorway of the Adams hotel this morning.

Mr. Phipps was making every effort to attract the attention of the cabman a quarter of a block away. "It is the only way I can get that cab back here," he continued. A peal of laughter followed this remark and the accompanying gesticulations and vocal efforts to attract the attention of "cabby," and then Mrs. Phipps replied: "Whistle as much as you wish.'" Again she laughted. As the cab reached the curb they entered it and disappeared in Colfax avenue.

Mrs. Phipps and her two children, Dorothy and Helen, arrived in Denver last night and are at the Adams hotel. A suite of four rooms has been fitted up for her use, and she will remain here throughout the winter. Mrs. Phipps has with her two children a maid and nurse girl.

Mrs. Phipps is not on the verge of nervous prostration over her recent divorce from Mr. Phipps. She is not grieving her life away because A. Hart McKee and Cornelia Baxter Tevis are just now traveling together from Paris to Egypt. With a flash of withering scorn and indignant tones she refuted both these stories.

"Of course these stories are the most utter nonsense. I never was in better health in my life. I am in perfect health."

The behavior of Mr. and Mrs. Phipps has started the tongues of the Capitol hill gossips. The divorced couple lunched together at the Phipps mansion today.

# RUSSIANS AND JAPANESE BID FOR OCEAN LINERS

## Both Countries Trying to Buy Part of Fleet of North German Lloyd Steamship Company.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A sensation was caused in shipping circles here today when it became known that the Russian government had tried to buy part of the fleet belonging to the North German Lloyd Steamship Company. The Russians were especially anxious to get hold of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which is the third largest liner owned by the company. They frankly admitted that they wanted the boats for transport purposes.

The company refused to part with the Kaiser, but negotiations for other vessels are still pending. The Japanese are also after boats of this company, and it is believed that the two countries are bidding against each other. At the office of the North German Lloyd company, Manager Herman Winter, speaking for Oelrichs & Co., the agents for the line, admitted that the Russians and the Japanese had been negotiating for their ships.

# SULLY'S ASSETS LARGE.

## He Went Into Bankruptcy Worth $1,200,000—Creditors Object to Cashing $30,000 Check.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—It was reported today that several creditors of the bankrupt cotton firm of Daniel J. Sully & Co. would take legal steps to prevent the cashing of the $30,000 bill for services presented by Boothby & Baldwin of 85 Nassau street, counsel for Receiver Coxe.

The amount of the visible cash assets in this case is said to be one of the greatest in the history of the bankruptcy court in this judicial district. At the time of the appointment of the receiver in March last the Sully visible cash assets were approximately $100,000. When the trustee was elected 68 days later these had been increased to nearly a million dollars. In addition to this cash sum, nearly $200,000 in stocks and bonds was made available for use by the trustees.

Mail Steamer Still Missing.

HAVANA, Oct. 20.—Up to 7 o'clock tonight no news had been received of the Spanish royal mail steamer Buenos Aires, which left New York October 13, and is now four days overdue at this port.

Died After Drinking Ice Water.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.—After taking a drink of ice water Isaiah E. Aultman, 52 years old, of Bryan, O., dropped dead today in the United States government building at the world's fair grounds.

# QUICKLY KILLS CAMPAIGN PLOT

## Taft Ordered to Panama to Confusion of the Democrats.

## ACTION WAS SPEEDY

### President Instructs War Secretary to Settle All Disputes With New Republic.

## OBALDIA ASKED TO GO ALONG

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 20.

By instructing Secretary of War Taft to go to Panama and settle the trouble that has arisen as to the sovereignty of the canal strip, President Roosevelt has kicked the foundation out from under a Democratic campaign plot that was intended to worry and embarrass the administration. Senor Obaldia, the Panama minister, is pleased with the prospect of an early settlement of the questions that have come up, and he will likely accept the invitation of Secretary Taft to accompany him to Panama.

Another man who will probably go with Secretary Taft is William Nelson Cromwell, the attorney who represented the French canal company in the deal by which this government purchased the company's property. Mr. Cromwell, in the negotiations incident to that purchase, established with the state department and the president the reputation of fairness and honesty, and gained the high esteem of President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay by his course. Secretary Taft will no doubt be pleased to avail himself of Mr. Cromwell's advice.

It is known here that for two months two representatives of the Democratic national committee have been in Panama stirring up trouble among the officials of the new republic, and urging them to demand immediate action on the protests that had been previously filed with the state department by Senor Obaldia.

Democrats Started Trouble.

The Panama officials were told that if they would go after the president hard at this time, when a presidential campaign was pending, they would have better chances of success. This view was urged by the Democratic trouble-makers with the belief that the president would decline to take any action at present, and, therefore, the administration would be placed in the light of oppressing a helpless infant republic.

Then it was the intention to cite this as another instance of the "big stick" and make all the campaign material out of it possible. But the scheme has been knocked into a cocked hat by the action of the president and by his letter to Secretary Taft, in which he says:

"We have not the slightest intention of establishing an independent colony in the middle of the state of Panama, or of exercising any greater governmental functions than are necessary to enable us conveniently and safely to construct, maintain and operate the canal under the rights given us by the treaty."

In July, Senor Obaldia filed with the state department memoranda in which a number of things were complained of by the government of Panama. The principal objection was aimed at the tariff regulations that have been established on the canal strip. By act of congress the government of the canal zone was left entirely to the president, he to put into force there such laws as he thought best.

Kicked on Tariff Regulations.

It being necessary to have some tariff regulations, the Dingley law was applied to the canal zone temporarily. It is claimed by Panama that the result has been to take away from that government all of the port revenues; that, as there is a difference between the schedules of the Panama tariff and the Dingley rates, the people of Panama can go over the line into the canal strip and buy their goods much cheaper than they can purchase them in Panama territory. This, it is claimed, is resulting in great harm to native merchants.

It is also complained that it costs 5 cents to send a letter from Panama to the United States, but that a letter will be carried from the canal zone to this country for 2 cents, resulting in a demoralization of the postal establishment of that country. Another item in the bill of complaints is that, in marking out the boundaries of the canal zone, the United States officers have included the suburbs of the city of Panama, where many citizens of that town have their summer homes. They are thus obliged to pay taxes to the United States on this property. A number of other questions are involved in the memoranda filed with the state department.

Obaldia Made Complaints.

About two weeks ago Senor Obaldia returned from Panama to this country, and upon landing here gave out an interview in which he inquired whether because "the United States is great and powerful and Panama is a young and much weaker republic" it follows that "the Washington administration shall be judge, jury and the whole court."

Here was evidence of the work that the Democratic envoys had been doing and the scheme was unfolding according to their plans. If President Roosevelt had been firm and had denied the Panamans a hearing at this time, deferring action until congress should convene, then the plot would have matured as planned, but instead the president took action that has promised a speedy and fair settlement of all the questions at issue, and left the Panama government nothing further to complain of.

It is not doubted but that it will require some time to get a government for the canal strip running smoothly, and it is possible that the regulations now in force are prejudicial, in some degree, to Panama. But it only requires an executive order to change anything that needs change, and it is evident that the officials of the new republic worked themselves into an excited state needlessly.

L. W. STRAYER.

# BIG HIT MADE IN MARYLAND

## Cannon Ends West Virginia Tour and Enters Gorman's State.

## HE IS OILY GAMMOM

### Parker Described as Titmouse, Hill as Quirk and Taggart as Snap.

## SPEAKER PREDICTS SUCCESS

Special Telegram From
Walter J. Christy, Staff Correspondent.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Oct. 20.—Speaker Joseph G. Cannon tonight made a great hit with a big Maryland audience by declaring that in this campaign Parker, Hill, Gorman and Taggart fit well into the characters of "Titmouse," "Quirk," "Oily Gammon" and "Snap."

Ex-Gov. Lowndes introduced Speaker Cannon and Congressman Bede to the Cumberland audience. Speaker Cannon said:

"Doubtless many of you have read that story of Dr. Warren's 'Ten Thousand a Year,' written a generation or more ago, an English story of an action of ejectment brought in English courts by one Tittle-Bat Titmouse, to recover an estate. The firm of Quirk, Gammon and Snap were the lawyers for Titmouse, the plaintiff. They, with great effort, fabricated the evidence upon which they sought to win the suit, the whole question turning upon the legitimacy of Titmouse, who, by the way, was without reputation or notoriety.

"They changed the records, stole a record here and there and fabricated evidence by which they made the truth appear to be falsehood and falsehood truth. Old Quirk, the originator of the scheme, had much ability and cuteness, but was not a very profound lawyer. Oily Gammon had a thorough knowledge of the law, was a diplomat, a gentleman in his demeanor, handsome, of good appearance, plausible, and as his name indicated, furnished the oil for the legal combination.

Taggart Represents Snap.

"Snap, the third member of the firm, made the noise, did the betting and the bluffing, claiming all things possible and impossible, having no regard for the manner in which an end was to be reached, or as to the desirability of the end when reached. This was a rare combination.

"It will be recollected on one occasion, when Mr. Quirk was intently reading 'Burn's Justice,' Mr. Gammon asked him, 'What are you doing, Mr. Quirk?' Quirk replied, 'I am seeing how far we can go without committing a felony.'

"I think I may say that history repeats itself. In this contest for power the Democratic party has selected for the plaintiff, Parker, who in one respect at least is like Tittle-Bat Titmouse, unknown. David Bennett Hill is the Quirk of the combination that represents Mr. Parker. Quirk discovered Titmouse, Hill discovered Parker.

"The second member of the firm was Oily Gammon. The second member of this firm is Senator Arthur P. Gorman. He is the Oily Gammon of the combination. The third member of this firm is Thomas Taggart, the Snap of the combination.

Parker Is Titmouse.

"That firm was Quirk, Gammon and Snap. Titmouse was the client. This firm is Hill, Gorman and Taggart and Parker is the client. Gammon frequently threatened Snap with discharge from the firm. He was too indiscreet and too impolitic in working up the case. So Gorman, it is said, has insisted upon the retirement of Taggart.

"On the suggestion of Hill, Gorman and Taggart, Parker changes the record. McKinley is dead. He quotes McKinley's last speech, omitting a portion of McKinley's sentences, making McKinley say directly the opposite of that which he did say touching reciprocity. In other words, by garbling and changing, they make a record against the dead president and statesman that is false.

"As to the Panama canal they suppress the facts and seek to condemn Theodore Roosevelt where the facts do not condemn him, and this, too, where, by their own action, even if their accusations against Roosevelt as to larceny of the Panama route were true, they participate in the larceny and approve it by receiving the stolen goods.

Everything and Anything.

"Titmouse, Quirk, Gammon and Snap, Parker, Hill, Gorman and Taggart. Protection in West Virginia and Maryland, anti-protection in Greater New York and in the south. The scuttle politics to the Philippines to effect a reconciliation with Bryan and please the mugwumps, when Bryan himself, by the aid of Democratic senators in ratifying the treaty of peace with Spain, is responsible for our acquisition of the Philippines, Bryan overthrowing the oily Gammon of the combination in that contest, Mr. Gorman.

"And now, as the day for trial approaches, they call into the contest Mugwump Olney, who belittles the war with Spain as a useless scrimmage, and Grover Cleveland, who appeals to the young men of the republic and holds up James Buchanan as a model for them to copy, while Bryan joins the push for Parker because he stands for scuttle in the Philippines, with the ink not yet dry upon the paper where he denounces Parker as 'not a fit man to be nominated either by the Democratic party or by any other party that stands for honesty and fair dealing in politics.'

"And all this accompanied by the beating of gongs by Mr. Taggart, the Snap of the combination.

Last Speech at Davis.

"The people who control the policies of the country at and through the ballot box have caught on. They believe in Theodore Roosevelt, they believe in protection, they believe in the Republican policies and they are making the contest for the

right against the Parkers, the Quirks, the Gannaways and the Snaps, the mugwumps, the discontents and the discordant elements in the opposition.

"I am justified in believing that a great majority are for a continuance in power of the Republican policies. The only matter of doubt is whether the people are not over-confident. If they voice their wishes by putting the ballots in the boxes all over the country, we will not pass the management of the republic to the combination described."

Speaker Cannon made his last speech in West Virginia at Davis this afternoon. This Tucker county town lies on the top of the Canaan ridge of the Allegheny mountains, almost 3,300 feet above the level of the sea. On every side so far as the eye can see is a waste of hemlock stumps, telling their silent story of the march of progress in this state.

### Uncle Gassaway Misled Them.

The industries of Davis are two lumber mills, a pulp works and a tannery. The monthly payroll is $40,000, and in "Uncle Gassaway's" bank, the one institution of the town with which he has any connection, are deposits amounting to over $400,000. Every man is working, and in order to give Mr. Cannon an audience the great plants of the Blackwater Lumber Company closed down. Over 1,000 lumbermen attended the meeting. They know what protection means. With the great tracts of timber yet to be cut along the Blackwater and floated to the mills at Davis they have no desire to see lumber placed on the free list.

Theirs was an experience in the workings of free trade which was dearly bought. In 1892 "Uncle Gassaway" went to Davis in company with William L. Wilson, then a candidate for re-election as the representative in his congressional district. Both men made speeches advocating the removal of the duty on lumber. Wilson was elected and the product was placed on the free list. Early in 1893 the Blackwater Lumber Company went into the hands of a receiver. It was not until the election of McKinley that the town of Davis again enjoyed prosperity.

### Davis Keeps Away.

"Uncle Gassaway" has not made a speech in Davis since, and it is not likely that his private car, "Graceland," will be seen this fall in the town that bears the name of the man who knows that he will not be vice president.

In Tucker county there are some factional troubles among the Republicans, and while there will be some cutting of Dayton and Dawson, the Democrats cannot hope to secure a majority in the county. Speaker Cannon and Congressman Bede gave the voters plenty of good advice this afternoon, and the presence of these two men will do Dayton a great deal of good.

Elkins, the home of Davis, is to be invaded by the Republicans. The Democrats tried to get an agreement with the Republicans that neither side would go into Randolph county. The proposition was not accepted. Tuesday night Attorney General Moody and Congressman Dayton will address a meeting in Elkins. It is not known whether Senator S. B. Elkins will preside or make a speech.

### Cannon Predicts Victory.

Speaker Cannon made this statement of his opinion of West Virginia:

"We have had a good series of meetings in the state and the people are interested. While there has been an absence of pyrotechnics and the hurrah of the campaign, I am satisfied that the people have made up their minds along Republican lines. West Virginia is as good a Republican protection state, in accordance with its population, as is Ohio. It is greatly interested in the general prosperity of all the people outside of West Virginia.

"It goes without saying that unless the farmers and those engaged in manufacturing outside of West Virginia continue to prosper under the protective policy of the Republican party, West Virginia will go without a remunerative market for her products. All of these conditions make her a sound protection and a Republican state. Her people are intelligent and seem to know where their interests lie. I confidently expect to see the electoral vote for Mr. Roosevelt by a big majority and the return of the Republican delegation in the house."

## SECRETARY JOHN HAY TO MAKE ONLY ONE SPEECH

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—John Hay, secretary of state, will make only one speech during the campaign and that will be at the mass meeting on the evening of October 26, in Carnegie hall. Chauncey M. Depew and Frank S. Black, who, it is believed, will be rival candidates for the United States senatorship, if a Republican legislature is elected this fall, will speak at the meeting.

## BOURKE COCKRAN SPEAKS IN CHICAGO AUDITORIUM

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Congressman William Bourke Cockran of New York addressed an audience in the Auditorium tonight. The auditorium was crowded to its capacity and many people were unable to gain admittance. Mr. Cockran confined his address, which lasted for nearly two hours and was generously applauded, to a discussion of the tariff question, as applied to industrial conditions.

### Lectured on Shakespeare.

The weekly lectures in literature, which have been a feature of school work in Allegheny for several years, were reopened in the Allegheny high school last evening, when George W. Gerwig, secretary of the board of school controllers, delivered a lecture on "Shakespeare's Contribution to Womanhood."

### Compelled to Double Speeches.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 20.—Senator Fairbanks was given an enthusiastic reception here tonight. He was billed to speak twice, but he had to make four addresses, and at the conclusion of the last one was escorted across the city between cheering crowds of people.

### OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, Oct. 20.

New York—Pennsylvania, from Hamburg; Main, from Bremen; Deutschland, from Hamburg.

Philadelphia—Switzerland, from Antwerp.

Havre—La Touraine, from New York.

Lizard—Cambrian, from Boston, for London.

Leghorn—Calabria, from New York, via Naples.

Liverpool—Majestic, from New York; Saxonia, from Boston.

Dover—Pretoria, from New York, for Hamburg, and proceeded.

Liverpool—Merion, from Philadelphia.

Sailed, Oct. 20.

New York—La Lorraine, for Havre; Republic, for Gibraltar, Naples and Genoa; Bluecher, for Hamburg, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; Numidian, for Glasgow.

Queenstown—Baltic, from Liverpool, for New York.

Hongkong—Empress of China, for Vancouver.

Queenstown—Friesland, from Liverpool, for Philadelphia.

Liverpool—Bavarian, from Montreal, via Moville.

### TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—All-star cast presenting "The Two Orphans," 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Carter De Haven Sextet and Hallen and Fuller, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

AVENUE—The Harry Davis stock company in "My Wife's Husbands," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—Joe Welch in "The Peddler," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"Paris by Night," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"When Women Love," 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Sheridan's "New City Sports" burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION—Concerts by Walter Damrosch's New York Symphony orchestra, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Mme. Nina Davis, coloratura soprano, 8:15 p. m.


INSTALLMENT MORTGAGES.

The Peoples Savings Bank, Wood street and Fourth avenue, has plenty of money to loan on good residence or business property in Allegheny county. By its plan of installment mortgages the principal may be reduced at each interest period. Write for booklet.

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Another whole year after tomorrow night before you will have opportunity to see a great Exposition and hear the delightful Damrosch concerts.

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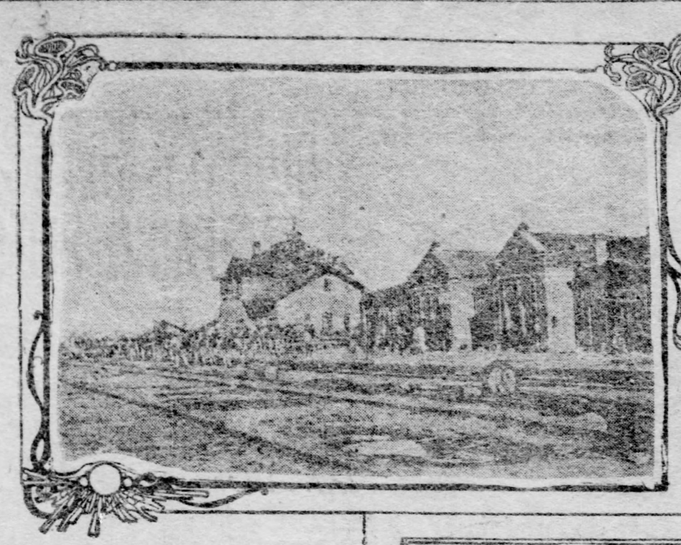
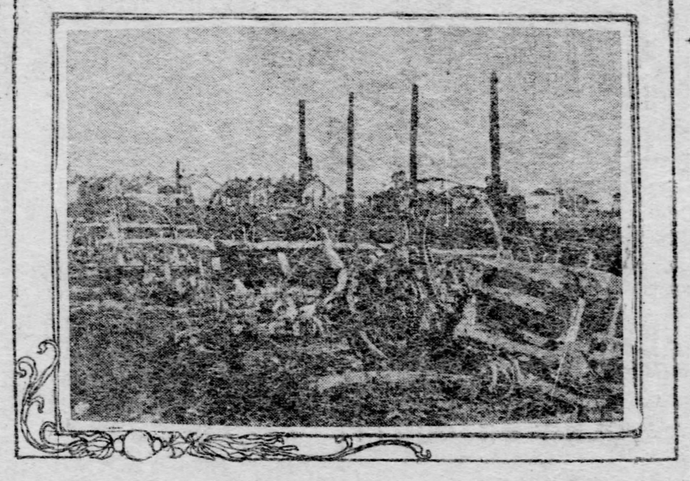
# AFTER THE BIG BATTLE OF LIAO-YANG



Japanese soldiers taking possession of the railroad station at Liao-Yang after its evacuation by Gen. Kuropatkin.

Japanese burying the dead of both sides in common trenches on the battlefield of Liao-Yang.



Russian caissons and artillery carriages burned at railway station of Liao-Yang by Kuropatkin's retreating columns to keep them from falling into the hands of the Japanese.

## MADE BLUNDERS AT LIAO-YANG

### Gen. Orloff Lost Many of His Best Officers While Entangled in a Corn Field.

### ERROR IN RUSSIAN POSITION

[Correspondence of The Associated Press.]

MUKDEN, Sept. 15.—There are now available for the first time two interesting technical statements. One is Gen. Kuropatkin's order of battle at Liao-Yang, issued between the evacuation of the advanced positions on the southern front and the desperate Japanese assaults August 30 and 31 on the main positions around the town. The other is a detailed description of the military defenses of Liao-Yang, written by an expert Russian officer on the ground. This shows clearly that though Liao-Yang was fortified to the limit of military engineering skill, Kuropatkin had made all preparations in advance for the withdrawal of the Russian army in case a decisive victory was not achieved. The statement also shows that this withdrawal of the commissariat and supplies had begun early in July and it was only the reserve stock of supplies that had been retained in case of a Russian victory that was removed August 31.

It is also significant that even early in July the bulk of the supplies that were removed were transported to Tie pass, indicating at that date no intention of making a decisive stand at Mukden. It is made clear that the only danger threatening the defense of and the withdrawal from Liao-Yang was the possibility that the Japanese, traversing the hills to the eastward, would make a descent on the railroad about Yentai. This was provided against and actually happened. It was here, if at all, that Kuropatkin hoped to catch the Japanese in their own trap and defeat them in detail.

### Orders Were Bungled.

How near this came to happening is told in a private letter from an officer participating in the Liao-Yang fight on the Russian right flank. The letter, however, gives even a worse picture than hitherto drawn of the terrible miscarriage of plans in connection with Orloff's division. Orloff was directed to take and hold at all costs a naturally strong position dominating the Russian eastern flank. The hill in question was unoccupied and Orloff had three regiments to throw upon it in abundant time to head off Kuroki. But through a bungling of directions the force was actually lost in the fields of Chinese corn and entirely missed its objective, meeting the Japanese before either had occupied the position.

Orloff lost many of his best officers, while his force was crumpled up and in aimless retreat through the dense corn fields when Stakelberg came to his rescue. Stakelberg retrieved what would have otherwise been a disastrous defeat, but the rescue was too late to give Kuropatkin any chance of the victory for which he had hoped and it was only by the utmost exertion and skill that the Russian army was safely withdrawn northwards.

The following is the expert's description of the disposition and defenses at Liao-Yang:

### Lines of Fortifications.

The Russian troops below Liao-Yang were disposed along three lines of fortifications in the form of an arc of a circle following the direction of a chain of mountains along the south and southeast. The first line consisted of trenches and batteries along the crest, which inclosed the Liao-Yang valley. The right flank stretched from the railroad on the westward and was occupied by some regiments of the First Siberian army corps. Here was located a hill 99 feet high, called Height 99, or "Heliograph Mountain." Stakelberg remained upon this hill during the fighting August 30 and 31. At the foot of this mountain were trenches flanked on the left by emplaced batteries. The defenses then followed the crests of low hills and ended in an enormous mined district opposite the village of Siaoyanzy.

Farther on toward the northeast the line of trenches extended along the sides of the hills behind fields of corn. The position of the Third Siberian corps and the Tenth European corps began at the village of Koutiatze. This position was very steep. Its left flank touched the road from Myndiafan to Sindiagoa. The greater part of the batteries of the Third and Tenth corps were located behind the hills, the others were concealed by corn facing the enemy. The Tenth corps had a front of eight versts. From the village of Myndiafan it turned toward the east, ending on the left bank of the Taitse river, near Siapou.

### Under Fire of Batteries.

The strong pivots on this line were "Height 148" and "Double-humped Mountain." At the foot of the latter passed the Fengwangcheng road. The valley through which this road runs was under the fire of three batteries adroitly masked on the slopes facing the road. Parts of the Seventeenth European corps occupied a chain of steep mountains on the right bank of the Taitse river, between the villages of Sanyantzy and Erdagou. The whole was exposed to the fire of the batteries of this corps. In addition, batteries were located near the village of Khaidiafeng, protecting the extremity of the left flank of the Tenth corps. The defenses of this first line were only provisional, except "Heliograph Hill," and the position at the village of Mayetoug, where barriers, barbed wire entanglements, pits and mines had been constructed. Behind this chain of mountains was a plain traversed by good roads to allow the dispatch of reinforcements, reserves, munitions, etc.

Four versts below on crests of hills, concealed in corn, were provisional trenches and batteries, some of these protected by mines and others by wire entanglements. The purpose of this second line was to hold the enemy while we retired and reformed upon the main position. Finally there was one third and last line in the suburbs of Liao Yang, where were located 11 redoubts, constructed according to the most modern military engineering art, protected by ditches, armored salients, wire entanglements, pits and mines. Before these redoubts for 800 meters corn stalks broken off half way formed an inextricable tangle to impede the progress of the enemy.

### An Error in Position.

Five bridges were constructed across the Taitse river, two of pontoons, one of junks, one of piles and railroad bridge. The major portion of the commissariat had been sent back to Tie pass in the middle of July and the remainder began moving back August 31.

An expert in the army, who also gives these details, considers that there was a capital error in the Liao-Yang position. It could be easily turned by following the mountains, which would have placed Kuropatkin in a position identical with that of the French army under Bazaine at Sedan. According to the opinion at headquarters, if Kuroki could be drawn from the mountains, Kuropatkin might succeed. It was evident, however, if Kuroki remained in the mountains the only thing left was to inflict as much loss as possible on Oku and then, by a rapid flank movement, to save the army from Kuroki's blow.

The feeblest positions were those of the Third corps. The "Heliograph hill" was the key of the general position, for if it were lost the enemy could bombard with impunity the reserves, the city of Liao-Yang, all the depots and the convoys. Besides, its possession would have enabled Oku to force the Russian army off the railroad into the hills, where it would have been in an extremely critical position. That was why it was fortified with so much care and confided to proved troops. The reserve was formed of the Second and Fourth corps, located to support the position on the "Heliograph hill."

### Order of Battle.

Following was Kuropatkin's order of battle, dated Liao-Yang, August 29:

1—Fighting line—(a) Stakelberg's First Siberian army corps (units not given), to defend the positions along the heights north of a line crossing the villages of Mayetung, Datzylin, Siaoyansy and Sinlintung and hold the region eastward as far as the stream flowing from the village of Sandiatszy to Tasy, keeping touch with the Third Siberian army corps.

(b) Ivanoff, with part of the Third Siberian army corps and other troops formerly under Keller, to defend the positions extending from the heights north of the villages of Koutiatze as far as the road from the village of Sychan to the village of Myndiafan and hold the region westward as far as the stream flowing from Sandiatzy to Task, keeping touch with the First Siberian army corps.

(c) Stouchevsky (with the Tenth army corps) to defend the section of our position extending from the road connecting the villages of Sychan and Myndiafan to the village of Siapu.

(d) Bilderling (with the Seventeenth European army corps) to protect the left flank of the army. For this purpose he is to defend our positions on the right bank of the Taitse river, keeping watch upon the river above the village of Sykwantun and remaining in touch with the detachment at Bensihu.

### Designated the Generals.

2—Reserves—(a)—Zarubaieff (with the Fourth Siberian army corps) (b)—Zassulitch (with the Second Siberian army corps). To be stationed near the villages of Situodiavantzsy and Siudatung.

(c)—Dembowski (with the Fifth Siberian army corps) to station portions of his force at the village of Shakhe and northward along the right bank of the Taitse near the town of Liao-Yang.

(d)—Samsonoff (with a mixed force, mostly Cossacks) to be stationed east of the village of Yantchialintzu, beyond the line of forts.

3—Flanks—I entrust the protection of our left flank to Gen. Bilderling and of the right flank to—

(a)—Mistchenko (with a mixed force, mostly Cossacks), who is to post himself at the village of Outountai, and guard the line of our right flank west of the railroad as far as the Taitse, including the villages of Sinlingtai and Tanwan, keeping touch with the detachment at Siaobei (on the Hun river).

(b)—To Maj.-Gen. Vladimir Grekoff (with a Cossack force), who is to protect the right flank of the army along the right bank of the Taitse.

4—The artillery of the position to be disposed of according to directions of the inspector of ordnance.

5—The line of forts extending west of the railroad to the right bank of the Taitse and fort No. 8 to be occupied by troops under the direction of Maj.-Gen. Masloff, commandant of the Liao-Yang garrison.

6—The central ambulance station to be at Liao-Yang railroad station.

7—The flying brigade of artillery parts (ammunition columns), to be echeloned by army corps commanders according to special instructions.

8—Commissariat trains to be echeloned along the roads indicated for each army corps and guard provided for them by the corps commander.

9—All reports to be sent to headquarters in Liao-Yang, headquarters to be connected by telegraph and telephone with each corps commander. The orderly officers to be detached to headquarters by each corps commander.

10—Corps commanders to select the routes over which the units are to march to their positions. Roads to be repaired and marked. Troops to be made acquainted with them.

11—Substitutes in the event of my disability: First, Sekharoff, then Bilderling will succeed in command.

12—Positions to be taken up under orders from corps commanders.

## MILLIONAIRE'S SON QUITS HIS JOB AS LABORER

### Resigned as Trunk Handler and Will Take a More Lucrative Position Under His Father.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Oct. 20.—Charles C. Stillman, son of President James K. Stillman of the National City bank of New York, has left this city with his wife for the east and it is generally believed that he has tired of his work as a clerk and laborer for the Southern Pacific Company and will take up some less modest and more lucrative work near his father, and with the latter's approval.

Young Stillman came to San Francisco about a year and a half ago, just after his marriage to Miss Mary E. Wright, a trained nurse in a Boston hospital, who had nursed him back to health after he had been taken from Harvard suffering from a fever which kept him in bed for many weeks. He was a clerk in the office of General Manager Kruttschnitt of the Southern Pacific for almost a year after coming west. For the past three or four months he has been an assistant baggagemaster, handling trunks at the Sixteenth street depot, Oakland, just across the bay.

## GIRL, AGED FOURTEEN, POISONS BABY NIECE

### Calmly Watched Tot Die While Mother Was Crazed With Grief—Makes a Confession.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Confessing that she had poisoned her six-weeks'-old niece, Alice Klingenberg, a 14-year-old girl, arrested at Montclair, N. J., today preserved a calm and utterly unmoved demeanor and appeared to regard the death of the little lass of no more importance than any ordinary incident.

According to her own admission, she gave the infant daughter of her sister, Mrs. William Polcker, a spoonful of a deadly drug, and calmly watched it die while the mother pleaded with her to tell her what ailed the child. The baby died in 30 minutes after taking the fatal dose. It was not until after an hour's close questioning by Chief of Police Gallagher that the girl confessed she had ministered the poison to the baby.

### Girl Tries to Commit Suicide.

Miss Edna Latta, aged 18, daughter of Captain and Mrs. James Latta of 719 West Fifth street, McKeesport, is said to have made two attempts yesterday to end her life. Objections to the attentions she was receiving from a young man is said to have prompted the deed. It is alleged she was prevented from jumping from the Duquesne bridge in the morning and later in the day is said to have tried to swallow poison. In this she was thwarted by her mother. The girl is now in charge of Mrs. J. J. Hilty of the Volunteers of America.

### Girl Kills Herself With Acid.

Lois Habenback, aged 19, killed herself at her home, 512 Rebecca street, Wilkinsburg, by drinking about an ounce of carbolic acid last evening shortly after 8 o'clock. The girl had been in a feeble minded condition for some years and recently was brought home from the institute at Polk, Pa., where she had been an inmate for several years.

### Aged Man Convicted of Murder.

NEW LONDON, CONN., Oct. 20.—Gershon Marx, the aged Hebrew farmer of Colchester, who has been on trial on the charge of killing his farm hand, Pavol Rodecki, last spring, today was found guilty of murder in the first degree.

## JAPANESE ATTACK IS REPULSED IN THE NIGHT

### Desperate Encounter in Darkness in an Effort to Retake Lone Tree Hill.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

MUKDEN, Oct. 20.—A Russian correspondent sends the following account of the attempt of the Japanese to retake Lone Tree hill after the capture of that important position by the Russians:

"The night of October 18 the Japanese brought their rapid-fire guns to the front, and we felt through the darkness, though we could scarcely see, a desperate attack launched against the whole line. Some say the object was to retake 15 guns that we had wrested from them, while others are of the opinion that a general attack had been planned, of which this movement was a mere diversion, the main object being to recapture the vital position of Poutiloff, formerly Lone Tree hill. In any event, the enemy found Kuropatkin at home and they were not kept long knocking at his front door.

"The first warning of their coming was the rattle of quick firers concentrated upon the Nineteenth regiment. We lay silent while their artillery thought they were paving the way for the Japanese attack. Then came the infantry, and we opened with the favorite Russian volley firing. It was pitch blackness, but as the darkness was lit with the glare of our volleys we could faintly see the shadowy waves of the enemy's infantry breaking and sinking as they tried to breast our trenches. The first fierceness of their attack spent itself. Then came an unaccountable panic that sometimes grips even brave men in darkness. They seemed to think we were advancing to attack, for they turned and fled in confusion.

"Meantime the Third battalion surrounded a native village which threatened the rear attacking column. There was a hand-to-hand fight in the streets before the village was cleared of Japanese and the battalion surrounded and burned a second village, taking a number of prisoners, where there was again an example of Japanese bravery. An officer, his revolver empty, stood alone, sword in hand, to receive the rush of our column, and went down fighting."

### West Virginia Places the Limit.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The West Virginia University football team leaves tomorrow for Ann Arbor, Mich., where it will play Michigan Saturday. The football enthusiasts here are willing to wager that the score does not run over 50 to 0. The probable lineup will be Wilson, left end; Hall, left tackle; Post, left guard; Yeardley, center; Packman, right guard; Leahy, right tackle; McDonald, right end; Fleming, quarter; Martin, left half; Elson, fullback; Hinman, right half. The team is not in very good condition, and only light signal practice has been indulged in this week.

### Registration Closes in Porto Rico.

SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO, Oct. 20.—Registration of voters for the election of November 8 closed last night. The number registered, both of Republican and Unionists, was heavy. The registration passed off in an orderly manner, although there were many challenges. Several Judges attempted fraud and were immediately removed. The government was aided by both parties in preventing illegal registration.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## DOCTOR JUMPED FROM WINDOW AT HOSPITAL

### George H. Purviance, Native of Butler, Pa., Killed Himself While at Philadelphia.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20.—Suffering from acute nervous disorders, Dr. George H. Purviance of Washington, D. C., assistant surgeon general of the marine hospital service, jumped from the fourth story window of the Orthopaedic hospital in this city this evening and was instantly killed. Dr. Purviance was about 63 years of age and came to the hospital August 8 to be treated for general breakdown.

Dr. Purviance was born in Butler, Pa., of a distinguished family. He served during the civil war and was promoted to be adjutant of his regiment for meritorious and gallant service around Fredericksburg, where he did most of his fighting. He had been connected with the marine hospital service for about 32 years, and was highly esteemed by the authorities of that branch of the government service.

## STEEL RAIL SCHEDULE TO BE REAFFIRMED

New York, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Wall Street Journal today says: "The plan of the Steel Corporation for purchasing pig iron from merchant furnaces, thus further reducing surplus pig iron stocks, will pave the way for reaffirmation of the steel rail schedule. It is now practically certain that the price of rails for the first quarter of 1905 will be $28 per ton."

### Bernard Was Twice Arrested.

Andrew Bernard, a French waiter at the Union restaurant, was arrested twice yesterday within a few hours. His wife, Julia, claims he took $25 from their rooms at 11 Stevenson street. She followed him to Scrip alley, in the rear of the Frick building, where they quarreled over the money, and both were arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct. They were released on forfeits, and at 10 o'clock last night he was arrested by Detective George Cole, on complaint of the management of the cafe, who charge him with stealing silverware.

### Clark to Succeed Scranton.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Negotiations have been arranged for the election of a successor to Walter Scranton, who resigned more than a year ago as the president of the Lackawanna Steel Company. At a meeting of the directors, held about a fortnight ago, E. A. S. Clark, general manager of the International Harvester Company, was proposed as the man to fill the vacancy, and it is understood that the proposition was unanimously adopted.

### Route of East End Parade Selected.

The committee having in charge the Hallowe'en celebration in the East End last night decided on the route of the parade. It will form in Rural avenue, right resting in North Highland avenue, and will march over the following streets: North Highland avenue to Station street, to Larimer avenue, to Shetland avenue, to Lincoln avenue, to Frankstown avenue, to Penn avenue, to St. Clair street, to Baum street, where the parade will be reviewed and dismissed.

## FOG CALLS TIME ON BIG ARMIES

### The Weather Conditions Have Checked the Great Slaughter in Manchuria.

### THE RUSSIANS ARE REINFORCED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

MUKDEN, Oct. 20.—The hostile armies have today been concealed from the view of each other by a dense fog, in which it has been impossible to make out objects at a distance of 100 paces. Under such conditions only unimportant operations are possible, such as surprises and ambushes. Possibly were the roads in better condition the fog might favor movements of troops and concentrations at unexpected points, but without question operations on a large scale would be too dangerous. There were isolated discharges of artillery in the early part of the day, but later complete silence prevailed.

There was a sudden attack by the Japanese yesterday afternoon on the Russian advanced position southwest of Mukden, held by the Thirty-fifth rifles, belonging to Gen. Kondratovitch's division. Col. Musnitsky promptly sent out three companies to make a counter attack, and the Japanese quickly fell back, having sustained severe losses. The Russian casualties were three killed and 11 wounded. The Japanese were pressed so hard that they were obliged to abandon a gun, but before abandoning it the breechblock was removed. The limber contained 48 rounds of ammunition. A few scouts belonging to the same regiment that night raided the Japanese trenches and brought away a number of entrenching tools.

TOKYO, Oct. 20.—Reliable reports received from private sources estimate the losses of the Japanese left army during the recent batle at about 5,000. The number of Russian dead is largely increased by the further discovery of bodies, notwithstanding the nightly removals by lantern light.

The Russian forces have been reinforced by about 30,000 men of the Seventeenth corps, a large portion of the Tenth corps and portions of the Fifth and Sixth Siberian corps which recently arrived. In all six divisions of the Russian army now confront the Japanese left army.

## FOUGHT DESPERATELY ALL DAY IN THE RAIN

### Correspondent Gives Graphic Account of the Breaking of the Russian Right Flank.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 20.—A correspondent of the Russky Listok sends to that paper a graphic account of the fighting by Gen. Bilderling's corps on October 12, when the Russian right flank was broken. It now develops that disaster was averted solely by the timely arrival of Gen. Soboleff's Sixth Siberian corps, composed almost entirely of reservists and many regiments of which were experiencing their first taste of actual war.

The correspondent telegraphs that Gen. Oku's desperate onslaught forced back Gen. Bilderling and drove in Stakhovich's cavalry, which was guarding Bilderling's right. The situation was most critical, but the Sixth corps, which had been held in reserve, promptly came up and supported Bilderling, and things assumed a brighter aspect. The fighting was exceedingly furious. Two reserve corps regiments which had never before been under fire, bore the brunt of the Japanese advance and obstinately held their ground.

The following day the battle was resumed with the fullest intensity. The Japanese threw themselves headlong against the positions of the Sixth and Seventeenth corps. The fighting continued the whole day, despite a terrific down-pour of rain and a fearful thunder storm. A Japanese battery dashed out from Gen. Oku's right and opened a deadly fire upon the Russian trenches until the Tenth artillery brigade came into action.

### Busy Meeting of Councils.

Allegheny common council last night transacted considerable routine business. The ordinance granting Joshua Rhoades and William Latshaw the right to construct a railroad switch across Pennsylvania avenue was passed finally, as were a number of other measures establishing or changing grades of streets. A bill was introduced authorizing the transfer of $10,510 from one appropriation of the bureau of water to another in the same bureau.

### Took $700 and Diamonds.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—"Mont" Tennes, a turfman, was held up tonight in a street filled with passersby and robbed of $700 and diamonds valued at $1,000. Three men compelled him to cross the street to a vacant lot and climb a fence. Once behind the fence they threw Tennes to the ground and took all his money and diamonds and escaped.

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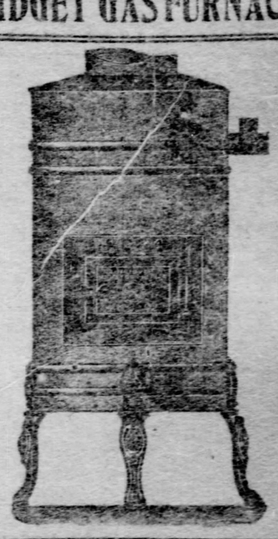

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# SURE COUNCIL WILL APPROVE

Director Bigelow Confident That Verner-Hall Deal Will Go Through Today.

STREET WIDENING DISCUSSED

The city administration is confident of persuading common council to approve of the deal between the Hall and Verner syndicates and pass the Duquesne Light Company's franchise ordinance. Murry A. Verner and Director Bigelow worked hard for that purpose yesterday, and late in the day Mr. Bigelow said the ordinance would be passed at the special meeting called for this afternoon.

While the Republicans succeeded in preventing a suspension of the rules and thus blocked temporarily the passage of the ordinances on Wednesday, they admit that the administration has a majority and ought to be able to work the ordinance through today.

The committee on public works yesterday met and recommended to councils the ordinance repealing the ordinance for the widening of Hamilton avenue. Councilman Robert H. Douglas was at first opposed to the motion to recommend the ordinance, under the impression that the benefits assessed against the city were only $800,000, but when the director explained that the viewers, in his view, had taxed the city exorbitantly in assessing it with $592,000 benefits and the property owners only $8,000, Mr. Douglas withdrew his opposition.

Mr. Bigelow said that, for instance, $57,009 damages was awarded to the Philadelphia Company, whereas in reality the benefits to the company were so great that it could afford, at its own expense, to open and grade the street. The Mellons owned property worth $50,000, and were benefited by the opening, the director said, yet the viewers awarded them $125,000 damages. The director reminded the committee that the East End board of trade, which had recommended the opening of Hamilton avenue, had since adopted resolutions demanding that the ordinance be repealed because of the excessive damages awarded.

Consideration of the ordinance opening Cecil alley was postponed at the request of the director. He said that for fear some board of viewers might be appointed that would award excessive damages, like the Hamilton avenue board, he was preparing a contract to be signed by property owners, by which they would not only agree to refuse damages, but would be willing to pay benefits. Thus T. C. Jenkins, Durbin Horne, Henry Phipps and the Methodist Book Concern have agreed to pay the city sums ranging from $15,000 to $40,000, so that, even if a board of viewers should award them damages they will pay benefits because of the value the widening of the alley will add to their property.

Resolutions appropriating $5,000 to pay for the printing of the plans and specifications of the filtration contract and for granting the Pennsylvania Water Company the privilege of laying pipes to supply portions of the East End that cannot now be supplied from the city water works, were affirmatively recommended.

## AMAN-JEAN'S WIFE WILL TRANSLATE HIS SPEECH

Will Go on Platform and Put Into English the Painter's Talk on "Art Progress."

Invitations to Founders' day are being sent broadcast over the country. The celebration takes place November 3. The list has been prepared with the greatest care, all of the 36 trustees of the institute giving their personal aid in order that every walk of life in this community will be represented. Including the invitations sent abroad and to other cities, the list numbers 2,500 invitations. Inclosed with each invitation is a card which may be exchanged at Mellor's, Fifth avenue, for a reserved seat.

One of the most interesting features of the program for this year will be an address on "Art Progress" by M. Edmund Aman-Jean, the French portrait painter, and a member of this year's international art jury. M. Aman-Jean cannot speak English, but his wife, who is a highly cultured French woman, will go upon the platform with him and translate his address, sentence by sentence, for the audience. This will be the first time a woman has ever appeared upon the platform on Founders' day.

The principal address will be delivered by John Morley, the English author and statesman. He is expected to arrive in New York next Sunday. While Mr. Morley has completed his address he has not yet made public the subject on which he will discourse, and it will not be announced for some time yet. Organist E. H. Lemare will play two selections and the invocation will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Frank W. Sneed of the East Liberty Presbyterian church. Mr. Carnegie has definitely announced that he will not be present.

## VETERANS HELD REUNION.

Survivors of Fifth Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery Gathered in Annual Session and Elected New Officers.

The thirty-ninth annual reunion and camp-fire of the Fifth Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery was held yesterday in the rooms of Post No. 3, G. A. R., in Fifth avenue, with 175 of the 450 survivors attending.

President John J. Davis presided. The Rev. N. L. Brown welcomed the veterans, President Davis responding. Addresses were delivered by S. A. Will and the Rev. E. F. Dickey, followed by a recess until afternoon, when the business session opened.

Dr. J. S. Goshorn, secretary of the association, reported 23 deaths during the year. Resolutions were adopted indorsing President Roosevelt for his order in relation to the age limit of veterans applying for pensions, and also one deploring the Russo-Japanese war. The election of officers was held with the following result:

President, J. P. Auld; first vice president, T. C. Fawcett; second vice president, John E. Vensel; third vice president, Miles Beatty; secretary and treasurer, Dr. J. S. Goshorn; chaplin, the Rev. E. F. Dickey; executive committee, D. H. Burtney, Company A; J. W. McClelland, Company B; John Williams, Company C; John Speer, Company D; John Williams, Company E; John G. Foight, Company F; Henry Schmeg, Company G; George Machell, Company H; William Wolfington, Company I; S. A. Will, Company K; Thomas Bovard, Company L; J. O. DeLauncy, Company M.

## FOUND FATHER AND TWO SONS LIVING IN CAVE

C. J. Lourimore, formerly a driver of the patrol wagon at the Center avenue station, and his two sons were arrested in a cave in Ruch's hill, near Wirt street, yesterday, where they had been living for two weeks. The man and his sons were in a destitute condition and had been unable to obtain work. At the Central station they were charged with having stolen a pound of butter. Magistrate D. T. Stewart discharged them and they are now being cared for by the department of charities and corrections.

Editor Dear Sir—I noticed a communication from Dr. Jane Blanchard claiming that a buckeye carried on the person would be a preventive for rheumatism. I know it to be an old tradition, carry a buckeye and you will never have rheumatism. OLD DR. OLIVER.

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# WHY BOULEVARD WORK STOPPED

Philadelphia Company Wants Charges of Fraud in Obtaining Franchise Sifted.

CIVIC LEAGUE'S INTENTIONS

Work on the traction line construction on the Grant boulevard has stopped, temporarily at least, and until the court has decided the quo warranto and injunction brought by the Voters' Civic league, the work will probably remain in abeyance.

While the Voters Civic league's petition is apparently directed solely against the Philadelphia Company and its constituent, the Pittsburgh Railways Company, the charge that the Grant boulevard and some other franchises were obtained corruptly is not intended to refer to the Philadelphia Company. The franchises were put through councils by the so-called Verner syndicate, although councilmanic friends of the Philadelphia Company worked for the adoption of the measures, probably on a "tip" from the Philadelphia Company that it had no objection to the ordinances. The Philadelphia Company afterward secured the franchises through its influence upon the so-called directors of the Verner companies, leaving the original promoters out in the cold.

The Philadelphia Company was not instrumental in securing the passage of the ordinances through councils, as it did not acquire the companies until after the ordinances were passed. By the petition of the Voters Civic league the Philadelphia Company is made aware of grave charges of fraud and corruption in obtaining the franchises. It is admitted that if there was such fraud the franchises are null and void under the law, anyhow the Philadelphia Company does not want franchises tainted with fraud.

It is understood that, while the Philadelphia Company will answer the allegations of the Voters Civic league concerning the alleged illegality of its charter and of corporate acts under that charter, it will not dispute the charges of fraud in connection with the passage of the ordinances through councils, but will even join with the league to ask the court to probe them carefully. It can well afford to take this stand, it is thought, for if the ordinances are declared null and void because of fraud, then the streets given away will again belong to the city, to be plastered over with new franchises. The Philadelphia Company believes it will have as good a chance as any other syndicate to obtain the franchises from councils. If fraud is proved by the Voters Civic league, some councilmanic pisces will speedily become vacant, and the new councilman elected are apt to be as friendly to the Philadelphia Company as to any other syndicate.

Track-laying on the Grant boulevard will be much cheaper than in ordinary streets or country dirt roads. The boulevard is a combination of telford and macadam, and the broken stone dug up in preparing the ground for the tracks is put back as ballast. It is calculated that the traction company thereby saves $1 a foot, the estimated cost of buying and delivering ballast at the scene of the work, and the boulevard is about 7,920 feet long.

### Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will be presented by the Harry Davis stock company at the Avenue theater next week. The scenic and mechanical effects will be startling. The instantaneous change, made in full view of the audience of "Dr. Jekyll" into "Mr. Hyde," will show one of the cleverest tricks known to the modern stage. "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will be preceded by a one-act curtain raiser, "A Fighting Chance," in which Miss Emma Dunn and Mr. Courtenay will essay the leading roles. This will be given instead of "Who Smokes the Cigars?" as originally announced.

### "Mistakes of the Devil."

The Rev. Dr. Robert Forbes of Philadelphia delivered his lecture, "Mistakes of the Devil and Some Other Folks" to an audience of over 800 persons at the Emory Methodist Episcopal church last night. The lecture was humorous, philosophical and practical; entertaining, yet very instructive. Dr. Forbes is associate corresponding secretary of the board of church extension of the Methodist Episcopal church, with Dr. J. M. King of Philadelphia. The board they represent has built during the last 40 years over 13,500 Methodist Episcopal churches.

### Brokers Charged With Embezzlement.

Frank Adams and S. M. Ament, who conduct the Interstate Commercial Company in the Keystone Bank building, a brokerage concern, were arrested yesterday on charges of embezzlement made by H. C. Zimmerly, manager of the Keystone Stock Company of Fourth avenue, before Alderman Groetzinger. Zimmerly claims the defendants have converted to their own use 20 shares of preferred stock of the United States Steel Corporation which they held in trust for the Keystone Stock Company. Bail was furnished for a hearing Monday.

### Miss Loftus' Engagement.

Judging by the demand for boxes and seats for Cecilia Loftus' first engagement in Pittsburgh as a star, as indicated by the boxoffice sale, which began yesterday, Miss Loftus will attract crowded houses throughout her stay. Her play, "The Serio-Comic Governess," is known to be the best thing Israel Zangwill has yet done, and there is a general desire on the part of local theatergoers to see it. The engagement will include mid-week and Saturday Matinee.

### Glassworkers Go to Canada.

Several members of the American Flint Glass Workers' union, former employes of the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company, passed through the city yesterday on their way to Toronto, Ontario. Transportation was furnished by the union. They will work in Gill Bros. & Co.'s new plant which will be put into operation next Monday.

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# ORCHESTRA SEASON SEATS BROUGHT $2,064 PREMIUM

Exceed Last Year by Nearly $400. Two $20 Seats Are Sold for $60 Apiece.

Nearly $400 more was secured in premiums during the auction of season tickets for the Pittsburgh orchestra season in the Nixon theater yesterday than was secured during last year's sale. This result is especially appreciated by the management, inasmuch as 57 new guarantors were added to the list this year, which not only reduced possible bidders by this number, but also reduced the offering of seats by over 150, the guarantors not only enjoying the privilege of securing one or more seats free, but also have the right to buy one or two additional seats at their face value. These seats were all chosen before the auction sale opened, and were, naturally, the choicest seats in the house.

The proceeds of yesterday's auction amounted to $8,674 50, which represents $6,610 in the face value of seats and $2,064 in premiums. Another record established yesterday was the bid of $20 premium on each of two seats, Nos. 6 and 7, row B, right, in the balcony. The seats, which are priced at $20 each, sold for $80 apiece, Miss Pricilla Guthrie, who executed many orders for friends, being the bidder. The sale was conducted by H. C. Ezekiel, a Cincinnati auctioneer. The season subscription seat sale for those left from the auction sale will be offered today in Hamilton hall, Wood street.

### Are Held for Hearing.

Charles Smith and Harry King, arrested on a charge of collecting money under false pretense in East End Wednesday, were held for a hearing today. A mistake was made in reporting Smith's name and it appeared as Edward Frank. As there are a half a dozen persons of that name in the city directory no one feels that he has been seriously injured. The police say Smith and King are well known, they having been implicated in other schemes for purpose of fraud.

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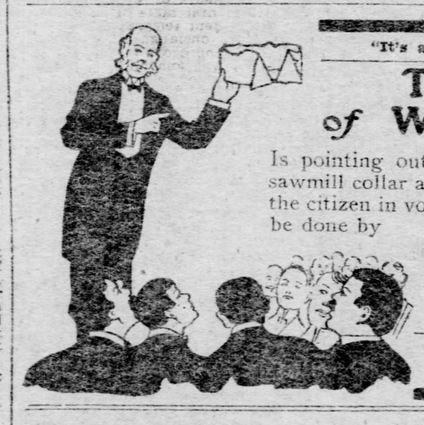

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**Raincoats for $10.00** At this price we can sell women a sightly Raincoat of all-wool cloths in brown and gray mixtures. The coat has a double cape effect, the back has the fashionable belt, the tailored sleeves are puffed and have turn-over cuffs—altogether a coat that will give the wearer splendid service.

**Raincoats for $10.75** This $10.75 model has made history for this department the past few weeks—it has given us an enviable reputation. It is made of genuine cravenette, and comes in tan and oxford colors. It is the most recent model designed. It is made with flat collar, heavily stitched, double wide pleats down fronts, forming, when buttoned, a deep pleat effect. The back is wide, with four tucks starting from shoulders and extending to waist line; full skirt gathered with a belt.

**Raincoats for $13.75** These coats form competent protection agains rainstorms, and are called both rain and storm coats. They come in a variety of mixtures or invisible plaid effects. Full box-pleated backs, full sleeves and tailored cuffs. A splendid coat in every way for the money.

**Raincoats for $15.00** Each coat in this line is made of genuine Priestley cravenette. The style is full double box-pleated back, so arranged the coat can be worn with or without belt. The flat collar is stitched and has scalloped edges, and is trimmed with buttons.

**Raincoats for $16.50** This is a composite coat, adaptable for rain and for automobile riding. It is made of a medium weight rainproof material, tan and oxford. It has a deep stitched strap forming collar, then extending down the edge of both fronts, thus giving a new front effect. Full sleeve with pouched cuffs.

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Styles for men, women, boys and girls at this price.

This is a good time of the year to have your umbrellas repaired. Later in the season we will be rushed with Christmas work. We do all sorts of umbrella repairing, do it well, and charge therefor very moderately.

**Roman Striped Couch Covers $1.00 Each.** We have just received another shipment of Roman Striped Couch Covers. The last shipment went out so quickly that we thought it well to reorder. They are reversible covers, fringed all around, and shown in various colors. The ingenious housewife can find many another use for them besides the purpose for which they are designed.

**Newly Imported German Steel Scissors, 35c and 50c Values.** We were rather fortunate in the purchase of a lot of Scissors last week. They are of finest German steel as you will note by the manufacturer's imprint thereon.

There is a large range of sizes from the little embroidery cuts to the 8-inch household scissors. All 25c a pair and among them some extra good values as, for instance, those very fine scissors with gilt handles.

The shipment arrived yesterday and the scissors will be on sale today on the first floor, West, Notion Department.

**25c Each for Pretty Sofa Pillow Slips.** All ready to slip in the pillow at a cost of only 25c! Any way you figure it they would cost you more to make them up at home.

Made of pretty fancy striped materials. For sale in the Fourth Floor Curtain and Drapery Department.

In the same department we are offering an unusually attractive collection of Lithograph Pillow Tops for the little price of 50c each. The subjects are new and colorings artistic.

**Queen Quality Shoes for Women.** You know it. The difference between Queen Quality shoes and other shoes for women is the difference between certainty and uncertainty.

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Some styles, 50c extra.

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**Half for Laces and Embroideries Today.** Short-end Friday again! Wonderful how many pieces of lace and embroidery, of edging and insertings, bands and all-overs collect in one week's time. Goes to show how very popuar such trimmings are—the more popular the quicker the short ends collect.

All out on special table today for just half of original prices.

**Attractive Novelties in Leather Goods.** New ideas picked up by us this Summer in the fine leather goods shops of Paris, Vienna and Berlin are here for your criticism.

Most dainty things in portemonnaies, card cases, opera bags, vanity bags, hand bags and many other articles of beauty and utility.

Special for today: Envelope Bags, the new idea, fitted with card case and coin purse, strap handles, black, brown and tan, two sizes, $1.00 and $1.50 each.

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Friday, October 21, 1904.


After considerable delay and discussion the Holland government has selected a site for the Carnegie peace palace, arranged for its purchase and is preparing to proceed with its construction. The site is admirably adapted for the purpose, avoiding the natural objection to invasion of the royal country seat. It is at the edge of the forest, between The Hague and Scheveningen. The palace may not be ready for the next peace congress, but there is no reason to doubt that Holland will be willing, as before, to give the use of the palace in the woods, pending completion of the permanent home of the international tribunal.

There has been considerable comment upon the fact that United States Steel preferred has advanced above the price at which it was sold to employes two years ago. There is a very handsome margin on the second allotment. The employe stockholders are in a position, as the commentators say, to take a profit on their investments. But that view overlooks the largest benefit to those employes. The depreciation following their first investment and the present recovery has given them a better idea of the forces and circumstances with which capital must deal than any amount of theorizing could have done. This object lesson should be of the utmost value to them and be of some advantage to the corporation as a whole.

The Brooklyn Eagle, which has had the reputation of being a conservative journal, printed last night what seemed to be its formal prediction that Judge Parker was absolutely sure of 256 votes in the electoral college, a majority of 17. A closer examination of the statement, however, shows that the responsibility of the estimate is entirely thrown on the managers of the Democratic campaign. The Eagle, moreover, specifically disclaims having reached such conclusions from its own investigation, for "they are the real figures of the close-mouthed Democratic managers, "which under their policy of still hunt, silence and mystery they have sedulously guarded from public knowledge." Chairman Taggart has been called a dreamer, so the publication of a list that includes New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Delaware and Indiana in the Parker column can only be taken as a vaporing of his imagination. The prediction is so contrary to the judgment of the most experienced politicians that it will have little credence, especially where the betting runs 4 to 1 on Roosevelt.

The announcement was made that Senator Culberson was to spring a sensation at the Democratic rally in New York city last night by reading from a letter President Roosevelt wrote Mr. Albert Shaw concerning the Panama canal. But the letter only strengthens the president's position as an advocate of the canal and an opponent of any underhand means to build it. Democrats gleefully quote the sentence: "Privately, I freely say to you that I should be delighted if Panama was an independent state or if it made itself so at this moment, but for me to say so publicly would amount to an instigation for a revolt, and therefore, I cannot say it." When just preceding it were the words, "I cast aside the proposition made at this time to foment the secession of Panama." Anticipating the letter, President Roosevelt made public the draft of his message written when there seemed to be no hope that the treaty would be ratified, but which was never delivered because the revolution changed the complexion of affairs. In this he simply reiterated the proposition that we were bound to build the canal. There has been nothing concealed about the president's attitude upon the canal question which has been well known from the first. Other presidents have talked of building, but he has made the enterprise a reality.

Detailed accounts by mail to the Associated Press cast new light upon the battle of Liao-Yang and detract considerably from the magnitude of Gen. Kuropatkin's achievement in effecting his retreat in good order. It appears that the transfer of a large part of the Russian army across the Taitse river which stayed the Japanese turning movement against the Russian left wing had been carefully planned in advance. Three lines of defense around Liao-Yang had been fortified to the limit of military engineering skill. It was expected, just as happened, that the Japanese would strike at the Yental line by overlapping the Russian left wing, and the Russian plan of battle was based upon that idea. It was intended to set a trap with the Yental line as the bait. Arrangements were made to swing the Russian army in that direction while the triple line of defenses held the attack upon Liao-Yang in check. The retention of Liao-Yang itself was a minor consideration, and in anticipation of the possibility that it might have to be abandoned all military stores not needed for immediate use were sent away in advance. The rapidity of Russian concentration north of the Taitse river is therefore now fully explained by the fact that it was not really a retreat, but a maneuver carefully worked out and provided for in advance. It, however, failed to crush the Japanese right wing under Kuroki, as had been planned, and the Japanese general broke the trap and seized the bait, holding the Yental line although unable to cut the Russian communications. Gen. Orloff is blamed for the miscarriage of the Russian plans, but it is evident from the account that the real cause was the promptitude and vigor with which Kuroki's men hit the Russian forces while they were swinging into their position, upsetting the whole scheme and giving the Russian generals all they could do to protect their line of retreat. It speaks well of Kuroki's generalship and of the gallantry of his troops that they parried so effectively such a formidable blow.

## Playing the Game Wide Open.

The Duquesne Light Company franchise is obviously a rider upon the latest batch of franchises desired by the Pittsburgh Railways Company. It goes first and the others follow. It was announced in advance that the passage of that ordinance was part of the deal by which the traction ordinances were to be put through. At the meeting of common council, Wednesday night, the test votes upon the suspension of the rules were taken upon that ordinance. The company is merely a paper concern. This circumstance lends color to the reports that it figures in the affair simply as a medium for compensation to the lobby for their services in putting through the traction franchises.

Be this as it may, it is certain that no such motive actuates councils as desire to start competition so as to give the city cheaper light, for such a purpose would lead to different action. Nothing but the unwillingness of councils to allow compensation to reach the public treasury stands in the way of competition and lower rates for electric lighting. The Pennsylvania Light, Heat and Power Company tried in vain for years to obtain permission to extend its lines into Pittsburgh and has offered to pay for the franchise. It is an established concern doing a large business, and is supplying arc lights in Allegheny for $48 a year, whereas the Pittsburgh monopoly charges the city $96 a year. But a company which would reduce prices and pay the city for its franchise has apparently no chance to get into Pittsburgh.

Thus it comes to pass that Pittsburgh has been unable to get its electric lighting at as low a cost as the surrounding boroughs. While Pittsburgh pays $96 a year the boroughs have been able to get lighting as low as $70 a year per arc light. Here are the borough rates as officially reported last December:

Sheradan, $85; McKees Rocks, $70; Elliott, $85; Esplen (under 45 lamps), $85; (over 45 lamps), $80; Crafton, $80; West Homestead, $75; Carnegie, $80; Wilkinsburg, $80; Swissvale, $80; Duquesne (under 50 lamps), $78 50; (over 50 lamps), $75; Braddock, $70; North Braddock, $70; Turtle Creek, $70; Wilmerding, $70; Homestead, $75; Bellevue (under 75 lamps), $80; (over 75 lamps), $70; Ben Avon, $75; Avalon, $80; city of McKeesport, $70.

Such facts make it easy to infer the motives which must influence councils if they pass this batch of franchises without provision for substantial compensation to the public. There is not even a pretence of consideration for public interests. The deal stands forth without disguise as part of a shameless system of loot.

## Pure Food Law Snarls.

Enforcing pure food laws is likely to become a difficult and particular business. There have been some objections to the methods of Dr. Warren's bureau in the past, but these are now taking organized form. The Gazette noted some time ago the movement of the retail grocers to establish a laboratory at Altoona for the two-fold purpose of preventing the wholesalers and jobbers from foisting adulterated products upon them and for defending themselves if wrongly accused of selling impure articles. Since then an important case has been tried in the courts and decided against the state agents. The agents prosecuted a dealer for selling chocolates made by a Philadelphia firm, the analysis of which showed the presence of wheat starch. Experiments conducted by order of the court proved that no starch was used in the manufacture, but what appeared to be starch was a by-product of the pure materials evolved in the process of preparation of the finished article.

Now the Philadelphia firm claims injury to its business and proposes to go into court and ask the prohibition of the publication of Dr. Warren's monthly bulletin in its present form. The suit will make N. B. Critchfield, secretary of agriculture; Dr. B. H. Warren, dairy and food commissioner, and W. Stanley Ray, state printer, co-defendants. The outcome will be watched with much interest from many points of view. Dr. Warren's monthly bulletin gives a list of samples tested each month with results of the examination, and also gives a list of prosecutions, together with the reasons. The Philadelphia firm contends that such publication is injurious and that it is wholly improper until guilt has been proven. In its own case, after the publication of alleged violation of the law, it was acquitted of the charge.

Another case is now on trial in Philadelphia in which the adulteration of Hamburg steak by the addition of a quantity of sulphite of sodium is alleged. The manufacturer has not denied the use of this ingredient, but is contending that the quantity used is not injurious. This matter has been brought before the College of Pharmacy in a paper read by Dr. Leffman, who contends that the condemned preservative is not harmful except in considerable quantity. The discussion developed the belief among those present that the preservatives of modern use are no more harmful than those approved by long practice, such as vinegar, salt and wood smoke, all of which sound abstruse when described in chemical terms.

From all this it may be gathered that pure food legislation may perhaps have to be modified. In this respect the investigations of our own government and of foreign governments will afford valuable suggestions. New applications of chemistry to the preservation of food may have bad effects, but on the other hand processes may be discovered quite as innocent as the old processes and more convenient.

## Public Decency Demands It.

More than ordinary interest attaches to the pending franchise ordinances of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, rushed through select council on Monday and on second reading in common council today. They present about the last opportunity for the city to demand an agreement for compensation to the city. If these grants are made gratis the traction monopoly will have such a complete system of franchises as to render it independent of public favor. For this reason no grant should be given except with explicit provision for compensation for its use and agreement by the company to pay the same rate upon franchises now held.

At this time last year the politicians were promising that the linear license tax would yield an annual revenue of $700,000. A computation made by an administration organ of date October 19, 1903, apportioned to the Philadelphia Company a total of $492,616 a year, divided as follows: Pittsburgh Railways Company, $227,581; natural gas interest, $72,547; Consolidated Gas Company, $38,960; Allegheny Light Company, conduit, $5,564; overhead wires $97,964. The county court has declared this tax illegal and there is small hope of a reversal of the decision. No one denied then and no one denies now the justice of compelling the public service corporations to pay such a share of their huge receipts in return for the valuable privileges they enjoy. In the pending ordinances there is the opportunity to induce them to consent to the payment of a portion of gross receipts. If they are not willing to make proper compensation, the ordinances should not be passed and every councilman who votes for them is recreant to his public trust and under suspicion as to his motives.

Of the same piece is the proposed widening of Cecil place. The original franchise for occupation of that alley, granted to the Citizens Passenger Railway Company, provided for the payment to the city of three per cent a year of the net profits during the first five years and five per cent annually thereafter. That compensation has never been collected. When the road was converted to a cable system it purchased property for its tracks. When an overtopping company converted the road to the use of electric power it asked and received the entire alley. Now, with the aid of the director of public works it demands of the city the purchase of its private property to make room for public traffic.

It is in this situation that the public sense of decency appeals to councils to refuse these grants until there shall be a guarantee of better public service and of payment for the valuable privileges so grossly abused.

## Cleaning Up Panama.

Before beginning work on the Panama canal the United States certainly intends to make thorough preparations for the health of the colony of employes, so as not to repeat the experiences there of the French, whose camps were depleted by disease. The promises made are even greater than those that preceded the Spanish-American war, for then the medical department expected to be able to avoid unsanitary camps, to insist on rigid sanitation and to keep disease down to a minimum. How completely we failed is a matter of record. But the United States has an encouraging example in Cuba, which was "reclaimed" by this country, for hope that the isthmus, which has become unhealthy by neglect, can be made fairly habitable.

The sanitary work in Panama has been put in charge of an expert who had experience in Cuba, where conditions were similar. Maj. Gorgas has labored to exterminate the insects that transmit disease and to remove the causes which produced yellow fever cases which could furnish inoculation material. He has seen street cleaning and proper sewers render plague spots healthy places of residence, and he will have ample authority to enforce sanitary rules in the new canal zone. In fact the health rules in Panama and Colon are also to be under control of the United States, so there will be abundant opportunity to make a thorough housecleaning before many of the canal builders go to the scene.

Dr. Hatch is the latest advocate of death for hopeless insane and incurably diseased, together with restriction of the criminally inclined. He gave vent to his feelings at the meeting of the prison congress and was aptly answered by a delegate who advised non-interference with the business of the Almighty.

There is not a Citizens member of councils who was not elected on the distinct pledge to exact compensation for franchises. When they vote for free franchises they are false to themselves and false to the public.

Altoona's Democratic city committee has officially denounced the Democratic candidate for state senate in that disirict as a traitor and boodler. Wow! And someone has said there is no heat in politics this year.

Those people who have been inquiring as to the wisdom of the Japanese policy of trying to take Port Arthur by assault will soon be asking whether it was wise for the Russians to resist to the last trench.

Wednesday's street car accident was primarily due to overloading of cars. Yet the company that gives such service asks for more free franchises.

Russia continues to purchase German ships, wholesale, and the German government winks at the transactions. The government is neutral.

A record high premium was paid for first choice of the Pittsburgh orchestra seats. This is a substantial welcome to Director Paur.

It may be seen today what kind of a common council Pittsburgh has. Can the franchise grabbers get any more votes?

St. Petersburg is full of "unfounded rumors" of Russian victories. This is the usual thing when there is a lull in the fighting.

Apparently more corrupt solicitation charges are brewing. The courts should give every opportunity for their proving.

What kind of arguments convince councilmen that their election pledges were falsehoods?

Allegheny is said to have a new official bottler. But wait till the graft cases are tried.

There is promise of a turn from the fine autumn weather to a fall style.

London authoritatively announces that the Baltic fleet has actually sailed.

Smoking locomotives are too common to make exceptions.

Operations at city hall are going beyond the limit.

### Object to Everything.

Had there been any Democrats in the days of Gen. Washington they would doubtless have objected to his method of crossing the Delaware, and argued in favor of building a bridge. —Oil City Blizzard.

# Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—"I'd rather be a hotel proprietor with a bunch of Pittsburgh names on the register than be a millionaire." That remark was made by the manager of the Marlborough hotel this evening, as he saw the members of the Americus club congregated in the lobby waiting for the moment to start for the train that will carry them back to the city of electricity and smoke. The Americus club was here a little less than two days, but the efforts of the 150 members to have a good time made a big showing on the right side of the ledger of the hotel. "I could almost afford to give those fellows their rooms without money and without price," continued the manager. "They are the right sort of guests to pull a hotel man out of a fit of the blues. Last night I was afraid to close up the rathskeller for fear of losing money. The Americus club people came in after the Madison Square meeting with appetites that required our best efforts to satisfy. They had ended a long march, and as they started out early they had to have their dinners early and were consequently hungry after the meeting. Nothing was too good for them, and being from the interior they made our supply of sea food dwindle like snow flakes on the dusty face of the desert. And they are a jolly lot. They are mixers who can combine with a party of people without apparent effort and the windup is that everybody is spending money without knowing it. I wish I could count on a house full of them every week. Then I wouldn't worry about who had to pay the rent."

The same thing was said to me today by a hotel man from Atlantic City. "If you see a dead one he is from Philadelphia," he said. "But the majority of the live ones that happen into Atlantic City in the course of the season are from Pittsburgh. The man from Pittsburgh knows how to get the money, and what is more, he knows how to spend it to get his money's worth—and at the same time is never afraid somebody is trying to do him."

### Broadway Alive With Them.

Broadway has been given a sight of the real Pittsburgher the past couple of days. And they have not been selfish fellows, either. Nearly every other man I have met has asked where there was a good place to "buy something to show his wife at home that I have not forgotten her." And from the looks of some of the men I decided that they were sorry they had no wives back home to carry something to. Still there are sweethearts and sisters one might tell of who were not forgotten, and who will be surprised sometime tomorrow evening when they receive a present with an odor of the salt sea breezes of New York still clinging to it. That is one thing that makes a fellow like the average Pittsburgher. No matter how good a time he is having away from home, he stops occasionally to think of "the girl he left behind," and the thought produces something to show for itself at the end of the journey. The members of the club left for Pittsburgh early this evening—or most of them did—but they can rest assured that "they are gone, but not forgotten." New York always welcomes a Pittsburgher as an old friend who is worth further cultivation.

### As Ye Editor See Things.

The following editorial was called out from the soul of our good friend, Mr. Ballard, of the Evening Telegram, who knows the average New York view of things well enough to fully appreciate it—probably because he is a product of the middle west:

"When is the novelist to come who will really picture New York?—who can present on the same canvas its insular contempt for the rest of the continent with which it is geographically associated and its all-pervading provincialism?

"Yesterday a marching club, of some political complexion or other, at all events a fine-appearing body of men, surprisingly, decorously and becomingly clad, as such things go, preceded by a band and carrying umbrellas made from the flag concerning which there is some question whether the Constitution follows it or not, paraded Broadway, all the while 'sonorous metal blowing martial sounds,' and got not so much as a cheer, hardly a passing glance.

"An hour later, in this same unsophisticated neighborhood, three or four policemen were stationed at a corner in the interests of regulating in a measure the joyous and pedestrian—ignoring progress of drivers of various sorts of vehicles that heretofore had had everything their own way. There were no arrests, no riots, the majesty of the law was everywhere respected, yet all the afternoon and well into the dusk hundreds of men and women—well appearing folks, on the whole—stood and watched with interested awe the spectacle of a policeman raising his hand to check the speed of some driver or divert his vehicle into some other channel.

"Why these contrasts? Will some one kindly explain?"

Mr. Ballard could easily answer the question if he would, by simply saying that New York is the provincial city on the continent. The view of the average New Yorker is limited to the end of his own nose—and New Yorkers haven't exceptionally long noses, either.

### Reluctantly Returning to Pittsburgh.

There is one man going back to Pittsburgh within a few days who is not a bit anxious to make the trip. He is H. A. Higbee, and his traveling companion will be Detective James Eagan. The latter has been in town a week, and goes tomorrow to Albany to get the proper papers to show the aforesaid Higbee that there is a welcome of a sort awaiting him in the Iron City. Mr. Higbee is the affable young fellow who spent considerable time and money at the Hotel Schenley not so long ago. Incidentally the management of the Schenley would like him to make good some checks he is alleged to have signed with a name that didn't quite fit. Mr. Higbee is now a resident of "durance vile," as the man from Indiana county says, and he will remain in that locality until Eagan can fix matters with the officials at Albany for his return to Pittsburgh. The Schenley management is some $120 shy, and there are others. Among the members of the Americus club in the city is M. W. Hedden of the Pittsburgh Cigar Company, which also cashed a few checks for the same gentleman, and he is also interested in the return to Pittsburgh of Mr. Higbee. How many checks which happened to be no good there are in Pittsburgh, Detective Eagan does not know. The young man was found at the Imperial hotel here, and was given a 30-day commitment by the New York police department to give the Pittsburgh department time to make out a case against him.

### Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the leading New York hotels:

**Waldorf-Astoria.**
R. C. Hall,
Miss E. D. Armstrong,
R. R. Quay,
W. W. Smith.

**Holland.**
F. L. Slocum.

**Hotel Astor.**
J. T. Hathaway.

**Imperial.**
C. F. Dunbar,
Mrs. Dunbar,
R. H. Hill,
F. W. Mack,
J. A. Chapman.

**Manhattan.**
H. R. Moorhead,
Mrs. Moorhead,
Miss M. G. Clift,
J. B. Speer,
Mrs. Speer.

**Marlborough.**
C. Byerley,
T. W. Norton,
F. R. Kunzler.

**Fifth Avenue.**
S. Dunseith,
Mrs. J. D. Thayer,
Dr. B. Arthur,
Mrs. Arthur,
G. E. Rose,
Mrs. Rose.

**Navarre.**
H. L. Brage,
J. N. Chester.

**Park Avenue.**
G. W. Morse,
J. W. Cooke,
E. G. Hays.

**Raleigh.**
M. Krieger,
T. Herbertson.

**Astor House.**
A. Morrison,
G. H. Grundy.

**Bartholdi.**
A. Rodgers,
F. Booth.

**Broadway Central.**
G. R. West,
W. F. O'Neill.

**Belvidere.**
H. C. Skidmore.

**Cosmopolitan.**
D. Onderdonk.

**Murray Hill.**
J. H. Baldwin,
Mrs. Baldwin.

**St. Denis.**
G. L. Smith.

**Kensington.**
Dr. S. M. Seaton,
Mrs. Seaton.

**Grand.**
J. H. Maloney.

**Grand Union.**
C. H. Wilson,
Mrs. Wilson.

**Herald Square.**
J. A. Brooks.

**Wolcott.**
C. P. Tiers.

**Hoffman.**
W. H. Scott.

### Back to the Woods With Him.

It's back to Indiana for Tom Taggart this week and after the election back to the mines. —Harrisburg Telegraph.

### A Seasonable Fad.

Chicken and waffle suppers are now a seasonable fad, as well as the famous coon and roast sweet potatoes.—Steubenville Gazette.

# The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

"Would you advise a young man who has only a modest salary to marry a school teacher?" asks a correspondent, who claims to be honest, industrious, and temperate.

Certainly, if she is willing.

School teachers are not half bad for wives; at least some of them are not, if the testimony of certain husbands may be accepted without too many grains of allowance.

The girl who is only a teacher, and nothing more, might not fill the bill with entire satisfaction at the start off, but even she, if her heart is set on making for herself and partner a comfortable home, may come out all right, for there is a deal of reserve force and possible outcome in a good girl.

Of course very much depends upon the object for which she marries. If she has no other than merely to marry in order to get someone to keep her she will prove a dear bargain to any man, rich or poor, high or low. It were better for the world if all such women were compelled to keep themselves all their lives. Enforced employment would prevent them from pestering one particular man, and keep them out of mischief generally.

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As a rule school teachers are pretty good people—in fact excellent, particularly the good teachers.

But it is a question whether these can be spared from our schools. The school needs them in its business, and its business is most important.

And yet if all, or a majority, or even a large percentage of really good girls were to devote themselves to teaching, the country would suffer for the want of good mothers and good instructors in the home kindergarten, and it is right there that the education of men and women is begun.

The common school is the beginning of the finishing course of education and not the formative, as many claim, and as is taught by some school promoters.

Fortunately the good teachers do not all marry, at least not right off, but linger awhile, to give to schools more or less of their brightness and sweetness, but not all.

It is a mistaken notion that schoolmarms are grouchy, sour, or sordid. Good teachers are not built that way. An occasional individual of that type may attempt teaching but she won't last, no matter how much she may know of arithmetic, grammar and literature.

You know, or at least you ought to know, that it isn't all of school teaching to instruct in the common branches. The more important thing is to develop taste, disposition and humane feeling in children. With these well formed a boy or girl is much better fitted for the battle of life than with a lot of technical book knowledge.

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One of the more desirable, if not the most desirable characteristics of a teacher is good manners. It is not enough for her to know what constitutes good manners, but she must be a living example of them, for manners cannot be effectually taught by rule or word of mouth.

Teachers may not be aware of the fact that manners often count for more than a knowledge of mathematics in securing and maintaining positions in the business world. But it is a fact, just the same.

You know yourself that you prefer to be waited on by a well-mannered clerk than by one who is ill-mannered, although a college graduate.

Business men everywhere give preference to well-mannered boys, for boys who have been well raised are usually able to supply themselves with whatever technical knowledge they may need, but those who have not been brought up to be well-mannered and polite are not likely to acquire these essential qualities after maturity.

Teaching good manners is something that school boards have not given the attention it merits, and teachers, as a rule, have let it pass, probably because it is not nominated in the bond, or because they already have more to do than they can do comfortably.

However, the teaching of manners and deportment need not take up much time, for it does not consist in recitations or class work, but rather in having pupils deport themselves properly while under the care of the teacher.

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To get money is the first incentive to teaching, not that the teacher expects to become rich on her salary, but because she needs money and this is one way of getting it, and an honorable and a most commendable way it is.

The fact that she is teaching for the money there is in it does not convict her of being mercenary, for like other human beings she must have money, and it is better for her to earn it than to get it otherwise, even than to marry it. Married money, you know, is often the very worst sort.

Were fortunes to be made in school teaching it would be all the worse for our schools, for fortune-hunters are generally mercenary. Their aim is to get money, and they are not any too particular about giving value received.

Blessed, therefore, are school teachers, for they shall not be tempted with great riches. Money is handy to have in hand, but it isn't all there is that is worth having. In fact it is one of the most efficient spoilers of men and women there is in the world.

Enough of money is enough, and more than this no one needs, except perhaps those who have the knack of making money make more money.

Has it ever occurred to you that honest labor always commands money enough—enough to meet reasonable demands?

Therefore, honest, provident workers need never fear great want.

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Should school teachers marry?

Not unless they better their social state by so doing.

Teachers, like other human beings, have only one life here on earth, and that one is given to them to improve, and not to abuse nor waste. It is, in short, a charge to keep, and as they keep it so shall they enjoy life and make it enjoyable for others.

Some teachers, otherwise sensible, think that all there is that is worth while for a woman in this life is marriage. All such should marry by all means.

And it is quite true that marriage is about all there is in this life for some women. And they seem to try to make the best of it, although their married state is worse by a whole lot than their single state.

And isn't it a good thing that it is so? If it were not how many, how very many women would cry their eyes out, or fret themselves to death as they thought of the good times they had when they were single.

As to the young man who wants to be advised about marrying a school teacher, what shall we say?

Suppose we leave it to the teachers, since it is a matter that concerns them more particularly than any others.

So there you are, young man, in the hands of the Philistines, and may etc., etc., as the judge says to the man who is about to be hanged.

### IT IS TO SMILE.

School Teacher (showing off her best boy before visitors).—Now, Perkins, can you name some of the important by-products of the steel industry?

Perkins.—Yes'm; Carnegie libraries.—Puck.

Husband—During our engagement you often asked me if I loved you for yourself alone.

Wife—Yes, that's right.

Husband—And I always said I did.

Wife—So you did.

Husband—And I do now.

Wife—I'm glad you do.

Husband—And for that reason I think it advisable for you politely to request your mother to terminate her visit and leave us alone.—Chicago News.

Professor—Time brings great changes. For instance, Horace Greeley said: "Young man, go west." Now, what do you suppose Greeley would say under present conditions?

Miss Chicago—Married man, go west.—Houston Chronicle.

"So Mrs. Gadderly took the rest cure?"

"Yes."

"Did it cure her?"

"No, it didn't do her a bit of good. She's just as anxious to rest as she always was."—Omaha News.

"Well, well!" exclaimed the old man, "Mandy's learnin' to play real good. Now, there's some sense in that there piece she's playin.'"

"That ain't Mandy," replied his wife; "it's the man tuning the piano."—Philadelphia Press.

# Mr. Taft's Mission

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### Follows a Precedent.

Philadelphia Press (Rep.): President Roosevelt has taken the same course at the Isthmus of Panama earlier adopted when difficult problems pressed at Havana. He has sent to the field of operations on the isthmus the secretary of war, the official who in the building of the canal, as before in the rebuilding of the social and political system of Cuba, is the administrative head, responsible to the president. Secretary Root went to Cuba. Secretary Taft is to go to the isthmus. The successful solution of a difficult problem, which followed the visit of the one, will undoubtedly follow the visit of the other. The present task is the more difficult and the more complex.

### Clothed With Full Power.

Cleveland Leader (Rep.): Secretary Taft is clothed with full powers of explanation and assurance. He is eminently fitted for the mission assigned. To him the militant does not appeal as a panacea for the removal of political or personal prejudice. He is lucid as lightning in his presentations of facts, convincing as daylight in his deductions from announced intent. We may rest assured that the Taft visit will result in the removal of all friction between Panama and the United States, and, if he shall find it necessary, the secretary of war, in whose immediate charge is the construction of the canal and the governmental steps attendant, may be depended upon to suggest to Americans, in places of authority, that they were not commissioned to erect an imperium in imperio, not to be topiofical and arbitrary. As upon numerous other occasions of moment, President Roosevelt has earned the thanks of the people whose affairs, at home and abroad, he administers with conspicuous skill and notable judgment.

### Forces of Civilization to Prevail.

Philadelphia Ledger (Ind.): Secretary Taft, having so successfully pacified the Filipinos, is now sent forth on a mission of pacification to Panama. It appears that the people of that quickly created republic took its creation seriously and thought that they had actually been set up as an independent nation. The establishment of another sovereignty "in their midst," which is not only engaging in beneficial public works but is collecting customs and otherwise proceeding as though it were general master of the isthmus, has, the president learns, "unduly alarmed" these people, and he is sending Mr. Taft to reassure them. It is a very difficult situation that was created by the Panama coup, but no doubt the "forces of civilization" will prove equal to the emergency. If not, we can always fall back on a battalion of marines.

### Out of Season.

New York Herald (Dem.): Panama canal question, like the Panama hat, is out of season.

### Playing "Fast Politics."

New York World (Dem.): President Roosevelt is playing "fast politics" these days, to use the baseball vernacular. Following his action in the Slocum case, he has instructed Secretary Taft to go to Panama to quiet the apprehensions of the people in regard to the intentions of the United States. The president wishes it understood that the powers granted to us in the treaty must be so exercised "as to avoid creating any suspicion, however unfounded, as to our intentions in the future." "We have not the slightest intention of establishing an independent colony in the middle of the state of Panama," he says. These assurances will be welcomed in Panama.

### No Reason to Doubt Our Sincerity.

New York Times (Dem.): Technically, the question of our occupancy of Panama is much like that of the Russian occupation of Manchuria, the occasion being in that case a railroad and in this a canal. But, under cover of guarding its railroad, Russia showed no plain an intention of seizing and holding all Manchuria that Japan went to war with her. She wanted and she took much more than the mere protection of her railroad compelled her to take or justified her in taking. We really want nothing of Panama but the power of building the canal and of protecting it after it is built, and there is no reason for distrusting the sincerity of the president's assurance to Secretary Taft, and to the Panamanians, that this is the extent of our desires or ambitions with respect to their country.

### Power of the Treaty.

Philadelphia Record (Dem.): But are the Panamanos "unduly alarmed" when they see a powerful nation establishing a postal system, custom houses, courts of general jurisdiction and other agencies of government in their territory? Are these agencies of government "necessary for the United States to exercise" in furtherance of the purpose for which the canal strip was ceded—namely, the construction and maintenance of a canal? The treaty clearly left the taxing powers and other insignia of sovereignty with Panama, and the assumption of these by the United States was a breach of faith and a blow at the independence of the isthmian community which we have taken under our protection. Whether the mission of Secretary Taft be to undo the perfidy or whether the letter be merely a means of carrying over the matter until after the election remains to be seen.

### The Troubles Are Grave.

Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune (Rep.): That the troubles with Panama are regarded as grave is shown by the fact that President Roosevelt has directed Secretary Taft to proceed to the isthmus for the purpose of investigating and of taking such steps as may be right and proper. The people of the republic of Panama will come to learn in time—and they must learn—that independence carries with it obligations to other nations that must be observed. They must also learn that because there was prompt and cordial recognition of the little republic by the United States there was no waiver of treaty rights and no license to disregard the obligations involved in the cession of the canal zone.

### No Small Concession.

Baltimore Sun (Dem.): Recently the minister of the little republic in Washington issued for publication a statement charging that Uncle Sam was not dealing fairly with the people of the isthmus and proposing that The Hague tribunal be asked to settle the differences between the republics. This suggestion did not meet with favor in Washington. The minister was charged with ingratitude. The republic of Panama owes its existence to Uncle Sam, who created it for canal purposes. That it should presume to criticise the author of its being was bitterly resented in official circles. Little republics were made to be seen, not heard—to serve the ends of big republics, not to set up the claim of any rights for themselves. Panama was persistent, however, and seems to have prevailed. It is no small concession for the president to send Secretary Taft to the isthmus with assurances of good will and square dealing.

### Pittsburghers in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, MO., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

**Washington.**
W. H. Cassidy,
Mrs. Cassidy,
Miss E. K. Cassidy,
William Metcalf, Jr.

**Hamilton.**
D. B. Curll,
Mrs. Curll.

**Monticello.**
J. W. Royser,
Mrs. Royser,
P. Hemburger,
Mrs. Hamburger.

**Southern.**
M. J. Johnston,
George M. Kelly,
J. G. Bennett,
James R. Reed,
A. H. Leslie,
W. J. Dillon.

**Jefferson.**
A. Thornton,
A. B. Neeb.

**Planters.**
Mrs. W. H. Donner,
Mrs. F. A. Bancroft,
John E. Williams,
Mrs. Williams.

**St. James.**
S. G. Andrews.

**Metropolitan.**
Charles F. Thomas.

**St. George.**
J. L. Martin,
E. W. Hilderbrand.

**Terminal.**
Mrs. M. C. Graham,
A. P. McAdams.

**Portland.**
James Hopper.

**Messrs.**
A. Campbell.

**Edison.**
F. M. Patterson.

### Efficiency of Battleships.

Seven Russian battleships, aggregating in price $56,000,000, have been put out of action by mines and smaller craft and one Japanese battleship has been sunk by a mine, and not a single battleship has thus far been in actual collision with another battleship. If the port of the cruisers and torpedo boats which wrought this destruction could be ascertained it would probably be found to be less than the price of a single battleship, thus abundantly confirming the opinion of the British admiral that battleships are out of date, and some other vessel must be substituted in naval warfare.—Baltimore American.

# HON. JOHN BIRCH IS DEAD, AGED 94

He Was a Pioneer in Washington County and Served in Many Public Offices.

WAS HIS NEIGHBORS' FRIEND

The Hon. John Birch, aged 94, a pioneer resident of Claysville and for many years prominent in Washington county, Pa., died at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the old Birch homestead in Claysville, Washington county. Mr. Birch had been ill since last Sunday. When it was seen that his extreme age had greatly weakened his system his family was summoned to his bedside. Old age caused his death.

Mr. Birch for years was a prominent Democrat and at the time of his death was the oldest member of the Presbyterian church in Claysville. He was known far and wide in Washington county as 'Squire Birch. He had served as a justice of the peace, and in that capacity he was the counselor for many families in times of trouble. He had for years taken charge of estates and during his life it is said he had probably acted as trustee and executor of more estates than any man in the county.

'Squire Birch was born at Middle Springs, near Shippensburg, Cumberland county, Md., August 5, 1810. He remained at home till early manhood, when he went to Claysville to live. He was a pioneer settler and had lived in that town continuously since first going there, about 75 years ago. He was also a pioneer in the tannery business in Western Pennsylvania and it is said that 'Squire Birch could never be fooled when purchasing hides for his tannery.

### Large Family Connection.

About 65 years ago he married Miss Harriett Reed, daughter of a professor of mathematics in the old Washington college. She died in 1877. In 1884 'Squire Birch married Miss Elizabeth Todd of Beaver Falls, Pa., a member of one of the oldest families in this section of the state. She died on June 27, 1903. Mr. Birch had nine children by his first marriage, five of whom are living, as follows: Henry B. Birch of Bellefield; Prof. John Mitchell Birch, secretary of the board of trade of Wheeling, W. Va.; Attorney Thomas Fleming Birch of the Washington bar; Mrs. Elizabeth McCarrell, widow of the Rev. Dr. James J. McCarrell of McKeesport, and Mrs. Frank D. Wray of Apollo, Pa. Mrs. McCarrell is now in Berlin, Germany, where she was called recently by the serious illness of her son, Frank A. McCarrell, former organist at the East Liberty Presbyterian church, East End. Mrs. McCarrell and her son will sail for home tomorrow. The Rev. Dr. George W. F. Birch, who at the time of his death two years ago, was pastor of Bethany Presbyterian church in New York, was also a son.

### Son's Death a Bitter Blow.

'Squire Birch was the oldest member of his family of 10 children and is the last to pass away. He was at the time of his death the only member of his family who had been living at the old home which he had founded in the wilderness of Washington county over a half century ago. His children had all scattered, but all except Mrs. McCarrell lived in nearby states and were able to respond to the summons home when their father began to fail. It is said that since the death of his son, the Rev. Dr. Birch, 'Squire Birch had relinquished the great interest in life.

'Squire Birch served two terms in the lower house of the Pennsylvania legislature, for several years he was a commissioner of Washington county. He was a commissioner at the Centennial exposition in Philadelphia in 1876, having received his appointment from the legislature; was one of the oldest Odd Fellows in the state and he also filled a number of minor county offices. During the civil war, although 'Squire Birch was a stanch Democrat, he frequently gave shelter to the slaves who escaped to the north.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Presbyterian church at Claysville, and the Rev. Dr. Lester of West Alexander, Pa., and Prof. Wood of Washington and Jefferson college, who were friends of 'Squire Birch for years, will have charge of the services. Interment will be made at Claysville.

## MARRIED SEPTUGENARIAN.

Relatives of Aged Fayette County Man Then Caused Woman's Arrest on a Bigamy Charge.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Charged with bigamy, Mrs. Elizabeth Ross, aged 22 years, was lodged in the Fayette county jail today by County Detective McBeth. In 1901 Mrs. Ross was married to Robert Bickwith of Ohio. They had lived together a short time when Bickwith left her. Ten days ago she eloped with Joseph R. Ross, aged 78 years, of German township, this county, and the two were married in Morgantown, W. Va. On the wedding day Ross presented his bride with a check for $2,100 on a Pittsburgh bank.

When Ross attempted to transfer a portion of his German township property to her his relatives objected and instituted proceedings which resulted in the bride's arrest. Ross now believes the woman married him to get his money and property. Mrs. Ross says she thought her first husband was dead.

## NERVY BURGLARS LEFT FACETIOUS NOTE BEHIND

SHARON, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Burglars last night entered three houses and attempted to rob a fourth. They secured booty amounting to about $200. The police have secured no clue. At the residences of W. Green and T. J. McCarthy, after eating a hearty meal, they left the following note pinned to the table: "You want to have something more the next time we come. Thanks.

### Drake Heirs Get Busy.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Lawrence and Trumbull County (O.) Drake Heirs associations are planning to unite, securing the fortune of Sir Francis Drake, now being held in the English courts awaiting the proof of claimants. The Trumbull county association met yesterday at Niles and heard the report of James Drake of Youngstown, who returned September 19 from England. He reported that the Drake heirs have excellent chances, although it will cost much to fight it through the courts.

### Surveys for Coal Road.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Surveys were commenced this morning for a railroad from Monongahela to Zanesville, in this county, to be built by the Pittsburgh & Buffalo Company. The road will be but 16 miles in length and will tap a rich territory, and will make connections at Ellsworth with the Monongahela & Washington road.

## STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

SHARON, PA.—The Sharon steel hoop mill was closed down on account of a scarcity of steel. The company has begun the erection of another open hearth furnace and when this is completed the company will have sufficient steel to keep the mill working steadily.

APOLLO, PA.—The B. P. O. Elks No. 386 will dedicate their new house November 17. Lodges from all over Western Pennsylvania will be represented. The building has been remodeled at a cost of $10,000.

GREENSBURG, PA.—Mrs. Susan Weyand of West Newton asks $15,000 for the alleged permanent disabilities of her 14-year-old son while working for the Federal Supply Company. Jacob W. Bowman, a window glass worker, has sued the borough of Jeannette for $20,000 for injuries sustained in falling into a culvert.

### Possible Victim of Foul Play.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Oct. 20.—Patrick Granahan, a well known citizen, was found dead in the kitchen of his home today with a bullet wound in the back of his head and a deep gash in the forehead. The family claim he was murdered.

# AGED MINISTER IS CALLED HOME

The Rev. John K. Melhorn, a Lutheran Pastor, Dies After Undergoing Operation.

SERVED OVER HALF A CENTURY

The Rev. John K. Melhorn, aged 78, a well-known pioneer Lutheran minister in Western Pennsylvania, died yesterday morning at the Passavant hospital, where he had been confined since undergoing an operation two weeks ago. Mr. Melhorn had been an active pastor in this section for 50 years, retiring six years ago from active work in the churches.

About four years ago Mr. Melhorn celebrated the 50th anniversary of his ordination as a minister and a month later, with his wife, he celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Hirth, in Erie. A sad feature in connection with the Rev. Mr. Melhorn's death is the fact that his aged wife is lying critically ill at her home, 337 Fourth avenue, Homestead.

The Rev. J. K. Melhorn.

The Rev. Dr. Melhorn was born near Lancaster, Pa., and while still a child was taken to Erie, Pa., by his parents. He was reared in Erie and after receiving a common school training he entered Washington and Jefferson college at Washington, Pa. After graduating there he studied for the Lutheran ministry and was ordained at Dayton, O. He first had charge of a small congregation at Masontown, Fayette county. He remained there for 18 years and then went to Freeport, where he remained six years as pastor of the congregation at that place. For the following 14 years he was pastor of Grace church, South Side.

During that time he passed through the smallpox epidemic which visited this city. As a result of his heroic work among people stricken with the disease he was called the "poor minister." Dr. A. V. Chessrown, now physician at the county jail, who attended many of the smallpox victims and worked with the Rev. Mr. Melhorn, was termed the "poor doctor."

It was during the pastorate of the Rev. Mr. Melhorn at the Grace church that he organized a mission at Homestead which later became St. John's Lutheran church. After leaving Grace church he never accepted a permanent pastorate of a congregation, but assisted a number of congregations which had no pastor.

Several years ago he moved to Homestead, where he wished to spend the remaining days of his life. He often spoke at public meetings and church services in the borough, where he was loved by all who knew him. During his life the Rev. Mr. Melhorn supervised the erection of eight churches.

Besides his widow the Rev. Mr. Melhorn is survived by eight children: Mrs. F. W. Hirth of Erie, W. E. Melhorn of Knoxville, Mrs. E. G. W. Dittrick of New York city, Mrs. C. S. Miller of Independence, Kan., Mrs. R. C. Rankin of McKeesport and the Misses Anna and Etta Melhorn and R. S. Melhorn, at home. A large number of grandchildren also survive.

### The Rev. Benedict Seckler, O. S. B.

The Rev. Benedict Seckler, member of the Order of St. Benedict, and rector of St. Boniface Catholic church, Allegheny, is dead at Rome City, Ind., where he went last February in the hope of benefitting his health. Word of his death was received in Allegheny yesterday and the Rev. Father Margell, O. S. B., of St. Boniface's church, went to Rome City to accompany the remains to Allegheny, where funeral services will be held. Interment will be made at St. Vincent's archabbey at Beatty station on the Pennsylvania railroad. Father Seckler was born in Wurtemburg, Germany, May 5, 1874. He was ordained a priest at St. Vincent archabbey July 2, 1899, later being stationed at Johnstown, Covington, Ky., and Allegheny. His parents and several sisters and brothers reside in Germany. One brother is at present a theological student at St. Vincent's college at Beatty.

### Thomas Swift.

Thomas Swift, a veteran of the rebellion, for a long time a police officer, and of late a guardian in the safe deposit vaults of the Fidelity Title and Trust Company, died last evening at 5 o'clock from a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Swift became ill while on duty Tuesday afternoon. He was taken to his home at 4 Roberts street and shortly after had a stroke of paralysis from which he never rallied. Mr. Swift served during the rebellion in the Sixth battery, Michigan artillery. He settled in Pittsburgh after the war and was on the police force for some time, going from there to the Fidelity Title and Trust Company. He was a member of Post 157, G. A. R., and of St. Vincent de Paul society. He was 62 years of age and is survived by his widow and one sister, Mrs. Lantz of Florida, N. Y.

### Captain E. N. Whitehouse, U. S. N.

Captain Edward N. Whitehouse, United States navy, is dead at Varenna, Lake Como, Italy. He was a paymaster in the navy and the second son of Bishop Whitehouse of Illinois. He served over 40 years in the United States navy, his last vessel being the Maine, which was sunk in Havana harbor. He was at one time head of the department of provision and clothing in Washington. Capt. Whitehouse has resided abroad for a number of years. His niece, Baroness Ramsay and her husband, Baron Ramsay of St. Petersburg, were with him at his death.

### Dr. Auguste F. Muller.

Dr. Auguste Frederick Muller, chief of the staff of the Germantown (Philadelphia) hospital, died yesterday of cancer. He was 64 years old, was born in Alsace-Lorraine and came to this country 12 years later. At the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted as a volunteer and fought in many battles until he was wounded at Gettysburg. Upon his recovery from this wound he began the study of medicine and was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania medical department.

### Mrs. Mary Franey Dowling.

Mrs. Mary Franey Dowling, aged 75, wife of Dennis J. Dowling, died at the family residence, 513 Mills avenue, Braddock, yesterday afternoon from general debility. Mrs. Dowling was born in Ireland and came to Braddock in 1849, residing there ever since. She was a member of St. Francis Roman Catholic church, and is survived by her husband and five children—James F. and M. J. Dowling of Pittsburgh; Thomas, Mrs. E. Rowell and Mrs. Carrie Bert of Braddock.

### Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Jane Dinsmore, aged 78 years, and widow of Matthew Dinsmore, is dead at New Castle. She leaves five children.

Edward L. Bartlett, solicitor of New Mexico since 1886, and once adjutant general of the territory, is dead at Santa Fe of pneumonia. He was born in Maine and located in Santa Fe in 1881.

Mrs. Mary Stevenson, wife of John Stevenson, is dead at New Castle, aged 27 years. She was the daughter of Daniel Jenkins of Youngstown, and a member of the Park Christian church of New Castle. A husband and four children survive her.

Clifton McCormick Schriver, a cousin of Cyrus McCormick of Chicago, is dead at his late home, 165 South Portland avenue, in Brooklyn, after an illness of six weeks. He was born in Dayton, O., and had lived in Brooklyn for several years. He is survived by several sisters.

Charles Ernst, aged 52, an Austrian employed at the Edgar Thomson steel works, Braddock, is dead at his home in Charles street, North Braddock. He was a member of the German Evangelical church, Bessemer tent, Knights of the Maccabees, and the Braddock Turners. His wife and four children survive.

Mrs. John Poundstone, aged 66 years, is dead at her home in Masontown. She was the widow of John Poundstone, who died in September, 1902, aged 68 years. She is survived by four brothers, David J. and Johnson H. Honsaker, Woodside; Josiah Honsaker of Masontown, and John Honsaker, Blair county.

O. H. P. Archer is dead at his late residence, No. 127 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, New York, in his 87th year. Mr. Archer's father was the late O. H. P. Archer, who was connected with the Erie railroad, and who was one of the builders of the Chicago & Alton railroad and the suspension bridge and Erie Junction road.

Joseph Kamerer is dead at his home near Kaylor, Pa. He was nearly 90 years old, and was one of the oldest residents of that vicinity. He was a member of St. Paul's Reformed church of Donegal township, and was a Republican. He leaves five children, David, Samuel and Robert Kamerer, Mrs. Isaac Hepler of Kaylor, and Miss Elizabeth Kamerer.

**Last Grand Wagner Program by Damrosch Orchestra at the Exposition tonight.**

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## DIED.

BIRCH—At the family residence, in Claysville, Washington county, Pa., on Thursday, October 20, 1904, at 5 p. m., the Hon. JOHN BIRCH, in the 95th year of his age.

Notice of funeral later.

DOWLING—At the family residence, 513 Mills avenue, Braddock, Pa., on Thursday, October 20, 1904, at 4:10 a. m., MARY FRANEY, wife of D. J. Dowling, aged 75 years.

Requiem high mass at St. Brendan's Catholic church, Braddock, Saturday at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Shenandoah (Pa.) papers please copy.]

GAMBLE—On Wednesday, October 19, 1904, at 1:30 p. m., at the residence of her son-in-law, Alexander Burke, 3264 Ward street, ELIZA, relict of Alexander Gamble, in the 90th year of her age.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LONGWELL—On Thursday, October 20, 1904, at 12:30 p. m., infant son of C. A. and Bertha Longwell (nee Lapp), aged 5 months and 22 days.

Funeral Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from parents' residence, corner Brighton road and Davis avenue, Allegheny.

MCLEMENTS—On Thursday, October 20, 1904, at 2:20 a. m., ELANOR MARTHA, daughter of Hugh and Elanor Smith McClements, aged 1 year, 11 months and 17 days.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 1830 Market street, Allegheny, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private Saturday morning.

MELHORN—On Thursday morning, October 20, 1904, at 3:30 o'clock, the REV. J. K. MELHORN, of 337 Fourth avenue, Homestead, Pa.

Owing to the very frail condition of Mrs. Melhorn services at the home will have to be private. Friends are invited to St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Fourth avenue, Homestead, where services will be held on Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment at South Side cemetery.

O'CONNOR—On Wednesday morning, October 19, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock, at the residence of John O'Connor, No. 1814 Carson street, South Side, MISS SARAH O'CONNOR, in her 80th year.

Funeral on Saturday at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. John's church, South Fourteenth street, at 9 a. m. Please omit flowers.

O'NEIL—On Thursday, October 20, 1904, at 7:50 a. m., ANNIE O'NEIL, only daughter of Catherine and the late Patrick O'Neil, in her 26th year.

Funeral from the residence of her cousin, Mrs. John Brown, 55 Rowley street, on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Brigid's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

OWENS—On Tuesday evening, October 18, 1904, at 8:30 o'clock, at her residence, Ohio township, near Emsworth, HELEN M. OWENS, widow of Edward Owens, in her 70th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, Ohio township, near Emsworth station, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.


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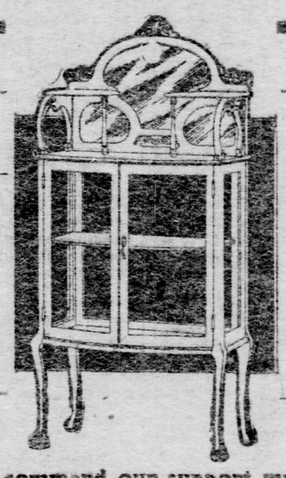

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Styles right in with the fashionable trend and of such merit as gives them sufficient tone for any informal assemblage.
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It is a rare find to discover a Shoe well and safely within the confines of Fashion's proscription that at the same time possesses all the other points which lead to comfort.
The "Footform" is the Shoe—a Woman's Shoe.
Broad Toes, low heel, medium weight sole—common-sense construction with the marks of style.
Made of fine Gnu Calf, button or lace, any size 2 1-2 to 8, or AAA to D—for young girls, women or elderly ladies—$4.00.
Do you understand about our $3.50 Shoes—what superior Shoes they are?
Various lasts and all the fashionable leathers all exceptionally made of selected stock.
Nurses' Shoes, made of fine soft Vici Kid hand sewed—button, lace or Congress—$2.00, $2.50, $3.00.

We sell Men's Shoes for $3.50 that are a credit to the seller and a source of great satisfaction to the men who buy and wear them.
The way to tell is to try them, and blame us if they don't "make good."

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FINE NEW WAISTS
More new arrivals that enhance the impressiveness of this showing—which is the best we've ever attempted.
Those who keep abreast of the latest news of stylish apparel know that Velveteen is a premier fabric for entire dresses and separate waists this season.
We have a superb showing—and especial values at $3.50—Plain Green, Brown, Red, Blue and Black—rich regal looking waists for that money.
Other Velveteen Waists up to $5.00.

A new Taffeta Waist shown this week for the first time—and we feel assured it will instantly commend itself to all who see it—fancy woven stripes, checks and bars on Brown, Green and Blue grounds, $5.00
Silk Waists, $3.50 to $65.00—including at the higher prices wonderful hand-made products of France.

Special embroidered Albatross Waists, $3.00.

For dignified simplicity we present a line of Mohair Waists at $2.75—pleated front like men's pleated bosom shirts—Black with an interweaving of White appearing with mathematical regularity.

B. & B.
BRASS BEDSTEADS
New designs—best make—at prices that show we intend to command the business.
Prices $26.50, $32.50, $42.50, $45.00 to $75.00.
Of course you appreciate the difference that material and manufacture make in the appearance, wearing quality and general satisfaction of a Brass Bed.
These are no higher, if as high, in price as ordinary makes.
White Enameled Bedsteads and White with Brass trimmings and combination, $5.50, $7.50, $8.50, $9.50 to $15.00.
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We are agents for a Black Steel Davenport Bed at $10.00 that's a wonder.
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With Mattress complete, $14.50.
Every house should have one of our telescope cot beds for emergencies—folds up to take less room than a suit case and so light it could be carried under your arm, $3.50.
Special Box Couches, $15.00—strong, well made full size box, upholstered in green denim, best spiral springs, self opening spring hinges, nicely lined, secure casters—extra well made throughout.

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ALL-STAR CAST 9—FAMOUS—9 STARS IN THE TWO ORPHANS.
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CECILIA LOFTUS
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GRAND Continuous Vaudeville. 1:30 to 10:45
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Bijou Bar. Mat. Mon., Wed. and Sat. Best Reserved Seats 25c and 50c. This week.
JOE WELCH IN THE PEDDLER
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Next Week—Charley Grapewin in "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp."

HARRY W. WILLIAMS' EVERY DAY THIS WEEK. ACADEMY MAT'S EVE'S CITY SPORTS BURLESQUERS.

EMPIRE UP-TOWN Reached by Collins Ave. all Car Lines. This Week WHEN WOMEN LOVE
Matinee Saturday.
Next Week—A Girl of the Street.

# CONGREGATION IS 100 YEARS OLD

Members of the St. Clair United Presbyterian Church Celebrated Centennial.

HAS PRODUCED 18 PASTORS

St. Clair United Presbyterian church at Mt. Lebanon celebrated its 100th anniversary yesterday with special celebrations afternoon and evening. The altar and front of the church was decorated with plants and flowers, while special musical numbers were provided at both sessions. Two overflow meetings were addressed and during the intermission a large dinner was provided in the church by the women's societies.

The Rev. Dr. F. H. Hanna of Steubenville opened the afternoon session with scriptural reading and prayer, and was followed by the pastor, the Rev. Edward C. McCown, who delivered an address of welcome. The Rev. A. B. Gilfillan of Covington, N. Y., who was to have spoken, sent his address on "The Congregation as I Knew It," which was read by J. C. Boyd. Reminiscent talks were then given by C. F. Milholland, John Kelso, Ernest Phillips and the Rev. Dr. D. K. McKnight of Mechanicsburg, O. The Rev. Dr. J. M. Wallace, Pittsburgh spoke on "The Congregation—Its Place in the Presbytery." Neighboring pastors then offered greetings.

At the evening meeting prayers were offered by the pastor and the Rev. F. S. McBride of Kittanning. The Rev. W. I. Wishart of the Eighth United Presbyterian church delivered an address on "A Forward Movement."

St. Clair United Presbyterian congregation was organized in October, 1804, under the name of the Associate Reformed congregation of Saw Mill Run. The name was later changed to St. Clair. The first church was erected in 1806, the second in 1838 and the present structure in 1872. There have been but six pastors installed, three of whom have made that pastorate their life work. The Rev. Dr. Joseph Kerr, was the first minister and served until his death in 1839. His successor, the Rev. John Dickey, died while pastor nine years later. The Rev. Alexander H. Wright served from 1842 to 1846 and the Rev. Dr. Joseph Clokey served from 1848 to 1855. The late Dr. John C. Boyd was pastor for 45 years. The Rev. Edward C. McCown, the present pastor, being installed June 28 of this year.

Eighteen members of the church have become ministers. The Rev. James Howard Boyd and his sister, Miss Myra L. Boyd, both members of the congregation, are now in mission work in Egypt.

## KING EDWARD GRACIOUS TO AMERICAN GUESTS

Dines Admiral Jewell and Party, Toasts President, and Listens to the Latest Stories.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Oct. 20.—"May its glory never grow less," were the words in which King Edward toasted his naval guests at the luncheon at Buckingham palace today.

Ambassador Choate first presented Rear-Admiral Jewell, commanding the European squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, and his staff, Capt. Colby of the cruiser Olympia, and Lieuts. William C. Watts and Charles T. Jewell, aids of the Admiral, who were accompanied by Secretary White and Capt. Charles Stockton, naval attache of the American embassy. Then, with an informal "Well, let's have lunch," the king, wearing an admiral uniform, led the way to the dining room, where 18 persons sat down. Ambassador Choate was on the king's right and Admiral Jewell on his left. The king, as usual with American guests, demanded their last stories, and chatted most informally until near the end of the luncheon, when he rose and proposed the health of President Roosevelt, the American navy and the officers of the visiting squadron.

No formal reply was made, but Admiral Jewell told King Edward how much he appreciated the compliment. The king chatted with each member of the party, showed them the palace pictures and ended the most cordial, informal party by saying how he was always pleased to see American war vessels in England.

## TO CELEBRATE CENTENNIAL.

First United Presbyterian Church of New Wilmington Arranging for Three Days' Observance.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The centennial of the First United Presbyterian church of New Wilmington will be celebrated Tuesday, October 25. The first regular pastor was the Rev. Alexander Murray, who served from 1810 to 1814. From 1814 to 1833 the pulpit was filled by supplies. In the latter year the Rev. Alexander Boyd was installed as pastor in connection with two other congregations. He was released in 1838. In 1842 the Rev. David K. Imbrie was ordained and installed. His pastorate lasted for 24 years—the longest in the history of the church. His widow is still living and expects to attend the celebration. The Rev. J. R. Miller was pastor from 1867 to 1869. The Rev. J. M. Donaldson, the Rev. J. H. Gibson, the Rev. J. D. Barr and the Rev. H. G. McVey followed in succession. The present pastor, the Rev. R. W. Thompson, began his work in May, 1903. The membership now is 200. Special services will commence on Sunday, October 23, and will continue till the following Tuesday evening. The speakers will include Dr. R. G. Ferguson, president of Westminster college, and the Rev. John A. Henderson of Allegheny, in addition to former pastors.

## RAMSEY WAS NOT PRESENT.

Wabash Employe Joins Benedicts and Was Victim of Many Jokes by His Co-Workers.

President Joseph Ramsey, Jr., of the Wabash railroad was the recipient of an invitation to the wedding of Samuel McCandless, one of the attaches in the baggage room at the Liberty avenue passenger station. Mr. McCandless was married last evening to Miss Mary Buchanan of Hampton street, Allegheny.

Mr. Ramsey could not accept the invitation, but that did not prevent the carrying out of the arrangements. Mr. McCandless works late in the evening, and rather than embarrass the other workmen in the baggage room, McCandless ordered his carriage to be at the station at 7:30.

The driver, complying with the request of the employes at the station, arrived earlier than the hour set by McCandless. While the carriage was in waiting for the bridegroom-to-be it received a decoration that would embarrass a prince. All kinds of signs were fastened to the carriage and the harness on the horse. In addition, the driver was presented with a box of red lights, with instructions to keep them burning the entire distance between the station and the home of the fiance. In addition, a valuable present was placed on the seat in the carriage.

## PENNYPACKER IS PLEASED.

Governor Hears That Pennsylvania's Exhibit at St. Louis Secures a Number of Prizes.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Gov. Pennypacker was well pleased to hear today that the Pennsylvania agricultural exhibit at the St. Louis exposition had received three grand prizes, together with 20 gold medals, 21 silver medals and 32 bronze medals.

"It is a gratification to me," said the governor, "to know that the agricultural exhibit of Pennsylvania at the world's fair has met with such decided recognition from the officials of the exposition."

### Blasted Down Telephone Poles.

Reports were received at the offices of the Central District and Printing Telegraph Company last night that several of the company's poles had been blown down in Oakmont last night by blasting for a foundation for the new street railway bridge across Plum Creek, between Verona and Oakmont. There was no telephonic communication from the city to Oakmont last night, but a resumption of communication is promised by 9 o'clock this morning.

# MANY GUESTS CELEBRATED CENTENNIAL OF A CHURCH

St. Clair United Presbyterian Church, Mt. Lebanon, with a photograph of the outdoor fire where coffee was prepared for the guests.

# EUGENE V. DEBS SPEAKS TO A LARGE AUDIENCE

Socialist Candidate for President Talks to Workers in Old City Hall.

Eugene V. Debs, the Socialist candidate for president, was in Pittsburgh last night and spoke to his followers in Old City hall. Every seat was filled. The gallery was packed and the aisles were crowded with workingmen anxious to hear the man whom Grover Cleveland had sent to prison for six months for leading the great Chicago railway strike in 1894.

Debs is a good speaker and has a magnetic presence. He is somewhat peculiar in his style of delivery, frequently bending his long, slim body into a human interrogation point. He is witty and he got his audience with him right at the start. He kept them with him during all the evening and the outbursts of applause were many and hearty. An unusual thing about a political meeting in Pittsburgh was that many women were present. The Socialist party is one which advocates equal rights and women suffrage. So the women were looked upon with welcome.

Mr. Debs paid his respects to Mr. Parker in no very complimentary terms. He said there was no need of any Democrat deserting his party. The party had saved him that trouble by deserting him. It had sold out to Wall street and the army of middle-class men who had made up the Democratic party in the past were now political orphans.

When the meeting ended Mr. Debs started for the Union station, accompanied by a great crowd which cheered him along the streets. The meeting was pronounced the greatest the Socialist party has ever held in Pittsburgh. Another meeting under the auspices of the same party will be held in Old City hall next Sunday afternoon.

## PITTSBURGHER WAS ELECTED.

W. T. Rugh Is Chosen Supreme Treasurer of Knights of Malta—Other Officers Elected.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The twenty-first annual convocation of the supreme commandery, Ancient and Illustrious Knights of Malta, closed its sessions today. It was decided to meet next year at Albany, N. Y., on the third Tuesday in October.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

Commander, Willie Higgins, Worcester, Mass.; generalissimo, A. T. Hamilton, Lewistown, Pa.; captain general, Robert Keenan, Wilmington, Del.; prelate, Frank R. Hayden, Worcester, Mass.; recorder, Frank Gray, Philadelphia; treasurer, W. T. Rugh, Pittsburgh; senior warden, Jonathan Liebensberger, Hazelton, Pa.; junior warden, Albert G. Hutchins, Nashua, N. H.; warder, Millard A. Kuder, Allentown, Pa.; sentinel, Alfred B. Jones, Philadelphia; standard bearer, the Rev. George W. Welsh, James Creek, Pa.; sword bearer, James B. Bell, Trenton, N. J.; first guard, M. Ross Fullmer, Williamsport, Pa.; second guard, Henry Wright, Frostburg, Md.; trustee, Charles W. Bassler, Sunbury, Pa.; instructor, George H. Pierce, Philadelphia; imperial representatives to the parent organization at Glasgow, Scotland, David F. Melville, Braddock, Pa.; John W. Hicks, Boston; R. B. Buckley, Washington, D. C.

## MORROW'S FINE SCHEME.

Wants to Fine Passengers Who Ride on Traction Car Platforms.

Assistant Controller Eustace S. Morrow is having an ordinance prepared for introduction into councils. It is intended to regulate traction traffic. Mr. Morrow says that the Pittsburgh Railways, to create sentiment favorable to the passage of the Grant boulevard ordinance, has taken off cars. His ordinance will impose a fine of $25 on any conductor who permits a person to ride on the platform of a traction car and a fine of $25 on the passenger who rides on the platform.

It was pointed out to Mr. Morrow that his ordinance will suit the traction company very well, for it will authorize the packing of passengers, who otherwise would ride on the platform, into the inside of a car, while, if the car becomes too crowded and the company wants to earn extra nickels by loading the platform, passengers will always ride there when the other alternative is to get off and walk. Laws to prevent overcrowding on cars have been discussed, but never passed. Mr. Morrow was reminded, simply because the great American public will not let a car go by as long as it can get on and hang on by its eyelids.

## WIFE QUICKLY FOLLOWS HUSBAND IN DEATH

BUTLER, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—William Orris and his wife lie dead in this city, leaving seven small children. Orris died this morning from the effects of having his skull crushed and spine injured in trying to board a moving train Tuesday. Word of the accident was taken to Mrs. Orris and she started for the scene. Orris was then unconscious and Mrs. Orris went to the home of a sister, where she collapsed, her death occurring at noon. Orris was 41 years old and his wife 34.


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# YOUNG BANDITS READY TO RAID CAR BARN

Five Boys, Armed With Guns and Dynamite, Captured at Rendezvous.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

OMAHA, NEB., Oct. 20.—Armed to the teeth with magazine guns, dynamite sling-shots and with masks in their pockets, five youthful bandits were last night arrested by the Omaha police as they were en route to the central barn of the Omaha street railway, which they intended to hold up and rob in emulation of the car barn bandits of Chicago.

The boys have confessed to their intentions and have told of a round dozen robberies which they have committed within the past few weeks. The plans of the car barn robbery included blowing up the vault and demolishing the entire building after the robbery. Any resistance on the part of employes was to be met with shots from the magazine guns.

The police refuse to say from where their tip came, but as the boys arrived at their rendezvous, three blocks from the car barn, they were arrested singly and without being given a chance to resist. Four of the five have broken down and made complete confessions, but the fifth refuses to talk.

Among the robberies to which the boys confessed are two saloons, two grocery stores, four different picnicking parties and a number of pedestrians. They always covered their victims with pistols and took all cash, but have not done any shooting. They all agree that last night's work was to have been their last in Omaha, and that they intended to go to the Black Hills and hold up one of the treasure trains from the Homestake gold mine.

### Arbor Day Is Here Again.

Arbor day will be observed in several of the ward schools today. It is the second of the two days set apart by the legislature for the planting of trees and accompanying ceremonies by the school children, the earlier day being set for April 21. Some schools observe the early date, some the later, and a few both, while the high school observes neither, having established Arbor day in May, owing to better weather conditions during the month.

### Navy Wants Boys for Service.

Orders were received by Sergt. Charles Barnes, recruiting officer of the local United States recruiting station in the Federal building, from the navy department at Washington yesterday to enlist boys between the ages of 15 and 17 years as musicians. This is the first time recruiting officers have been authorized to enlist boys in Pittsburgh. The recruits are wanted for service on new battleships and cruisers.

# MEETING WILL BE ROUSING ONE

Tomorrow Night Kenwood Lawn Gathering Promises to Be Record-Breaker.

WIGHTMAN FIGHTING BOOTH

Those in charge of the arrangements for the Republican mass meeting in Kenwood Lawn tomorrow night say that it will be the biggest meeting ever held there, and that the audience will consist in the main of voters who have come to the meeting to hear Republican doctrines expounded. Charles Emory Smith, former assistant postmaster general, and Congressman John Dalzell will be the principal speakers. Senator William Flinn will preside.

J. Smiley Wightman is still doing his utmost in his ward, the Twenty-second, to have a Citizens party man selected as the Republican nominee for common council to succeed John F. Steel. Wightman wants the names of several Citizens put forward at the Republican suggestion meeting in the Linden school house tomorrow night. At the same time he announced publicly yesterday that if the Republicans did not meet the Citizens "half way," that is, nominate a Citizens party man, an independent candidate would be run. Dr. J. O. Bockstoce, a dentist, and W. W. Blackstone now want the Republican nomination, and they and Albion E. Best are supported by Citizens party members. Frank P. Booth and John P. Ober will be mentioned at the Republican suggestion. Ober has said that he does not care to be a candidate.

Col. Samuel H. Church, John S. Weller, H. J. Riley, H. S. Lydick and Charles A. O'Brien spoke at a Republican mass meeting in Bellevue last night. Col. Church spoke of the disfranchisement of the negroes in the south.

William M. Benham, L. B. Cook and James M. Clark spoke at a meeting in the Forbes street school house, Sixth ward. Meetings were also held in the Soho school house, Fourteenth ward; Liederkranz hall, Thirty-eighth ward; Humboldt school, Twenty-sixth ward; Birmingham school, Twenty-eighth ward and Osborne borough school hall.

Meetings will be held tonight in the Twenty-seventh, Seventeenth, Twenty-fourth and Thirty-sixth wards; Corapolis, East McKeesport and Mifflin township.

Democrats of Carnegie held a rally last night under the auspices of the J. M. Guffey Democratic club. The club marched to Rosslyn station, where the Escort club of Pittsburgh was met. John Risher, candidate for the legislature from the Sixth district, was chairman of the meeting. The speakers were W. J. Brennen, J. A. Wakefield, John Pierce and Earl McClintock.

## AMERICAN MARINES RETAINED ON ISTHMUS

Government Is Prepared for Any Emergency—An Outbreak by Disgruntled Element Is Feared.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—American marines will be retained on the isthmus of Panama for the present, prepared to meet any emergency which may arise as the result of disgruntled elements in the new republic. This decision was reached today, and orders have been issued for a new battalion of marines to go to the isthmus November 15, to relieve the battalion which has been there for a year.

That the situation on the isthmus is still not all that could be desired is the news which came to Washington today in a personal letter from an official now in Panama. While the Panama government is entirely loyal it seems that there are certain disgruntled elements in the isthmus, and in view of the ease with which revolutions are started in Central and South America, it is the official opinion here that the marines should remain there for the present.

### Lack Money and Schools.

The Hays borough school district is in a serious condition owing to a lack of funds and the over-crowded condition of the schools. An effort was made yesterday to dismiss the pupils at noon to allow others to attend the afternoon sessions, but the parents of children objected to half-day sessions. The board is puzzled to know how to remedy conditions, as there is but a small amount of money in the school fund.

### To Run Down Oyster Thieves.

Detectives arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday to investigate the disappearance of oysters shipped here by oyster dealers in the east. It is alleged that as many as 1,000 oysters have disappeared from consignments at one time and that the stealing has been going on for years. About 12,000 gallons of oysters in bulk are shipped to this city daily from coast cities.


ANOTHER MIGHTY

**SHOE SALE**

To keep our methods in advance of the usual—to jam the store—to establish at one stroke the fact that we are the greatest cut price shoe store, we've taken another terrific slash at prices and offer values today and Saturday that ARE the greatest in Pittsburgh. Come and convince yourself.

**Ladies' $3.50 & $5 Shoes $1.98**

Think of it! The finest Shoes—Shoes that are actually selling at $3.50 to $5.00 in all other stores here on sale today and Saturday at $1.98. Latest fall styles patent kid or plain leather, extension soles, blucher, lace or button styles—extremely elegant, stylish shoes. Special sale price..... **$1.98**

MEN'S REGULAR $3.00 DRESS SHOES, welt soles; lace and blucher styles, reduced to ..... **$1.95**

BOYS' $1.50 DRESS SHOES in satin calf, guaranteed good, reduced to.... **95c**

MESSENGER BOYS' SHOES that sell regularly at $1.25, cut to ..... **69c**

MEN'S REGULAR $2.00 SHOES, blucher or lace, patent leather or calf shoes, at ..... **98c**

"WALKOVER" $4.00 SHOES for men, guaranteed the same as the others, at ..... **$2.45**

LADIES' $2.50 VICI KID AND PATENT LEATHER LACE SHOES, medium weight soles, reduced to ..... **98c**

LADIES' FELT HOUSE SLIPPERS, best quality felt, turned soles, reduced to ..... **69c**

INFANTS' REGULAR 50c patent leather button shoes, sale price ..... **29c**

MISSES' REGULAR $1.50 LACE shoes for school or fine dress, reduced to ..... **98c**

MEN'S REGULAR $2.50 DRESS SHOES, patent colt, welt soles, at ..... **$1.49**

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# WANTED A RELIC OF DEAD FATHER

Little Mary Rice, Doubly Orphaned, Asks for the Hat of Her Parent.

PROBING A SOUTH SIDE DEATH

Mary Rice, aged 8, bereft of both parents, yesterday pleaded with Deputy Coroner John Black for her father's hat as a souvenir of her dead. The request was promptly granted. Robert Rice, aged 45, boarded with his child at the house of Mrs. Mary Robinson, 2218 Penn avenue. A year ago his wife, Eunice, died of consumption. Rice was unable to pay her funeral expenses, and the woman was buried in the potter's field. The husband and father was also a victim of consumption. Occasionally he was able to work, but for weeks at a time he was laid up. Yesterday he died, leaving his little girl doubly orphaned. As the man was penniless, the coroner was notified, and the body removed to the morgue to be prepared for burial near where his wife lies.

The coroner is investigating the death of an undertaker, Kasper Fifer, aged 46, of 148 South Fifteenth street, who died yesterday. It is thought, from injuries inflicted by thugs who held him up and robbed him, October 5, in Second avenue, near Tenth street bridge. Fifer said the men kicked and beat him about the head and body and took $280. He was able to reach his home that night and his family summoned physicians. His condition became worse and he died yesterday. A post mortem examination will be made today, when the exact cause of his death will be determined. Superintendent of Police Wallace and Superintendent of Detectives McQuaide are making an investigation.

Harry E. Schwartz, aged 45, of 1204 Juniata street, died at the Mercy hospital yesterday from injuries received while at work on the new annex of the Mercy hospital October 11. Schwartz was a mortar man and was knocked by a construction elevator off a scaffold on the sixth floor of the building. His back was broken and he was injured internally. In falling he struck on the shoulders of a foreman, who was also injured and is now confined in the hospital with broken ribs.


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AT 2 P. M.

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IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 347 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a public sewer on Forest street and a 30-foot street, from Hazel street to August Beckert's line, Thirteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

E. E. PHILLIPS,
GEO. LINDERMAN,
S. A. PURVIS,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 348 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a public sewer on Dunlap avenue and Richey avenue from a point 150 feet east of Perrysville avenue to East street, Fifteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 3d day of November, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

E. E. PHILLIPS,
GEO. LINDERMAN,
S. A. PURVIS,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3 No. 267, November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a public sewer on Geyer's line, Eleventh ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

E. E. PHILLIPS,
GEO. LINDERMAN,
S. A. PURVIS,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3 No. 350 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the grading, paving and curbing and damage by grade of Davis avenue, from California avenue to Fleming avenue, Eleventh ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

E. E. PHILLIPS,
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S. A. PURVIS,
Viewers.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 348 November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a public sewer on Richey avenue from a point 163 feet east of Perrysville avenue to a 10-foot alley, Fifteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 3d day of November, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

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Viewers

# KNOX EXTOLS THE PRESIDENT

## Compares Roosevelt's Attitude Toward Corporations With That of Judge Parker.

## NO DEMOCRATIC PROMISES

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Senator Philander C. Knox, former United States attorney general, was tendered a reception here tonight by the Union League club. There was no other guest of the club and only Union League members were present. Senator Knox was formally escorted to the speakers' platform by Cornelius N. Bliss, the president of the club. Senator Knox was given a cordial greeting in the applause of the members.

Mr. Knox reviewed the attitude of the Republican party towards the great corporations and gave in detail the situation as it confronted President Roosevelt at the time the question of the legality of the Northern Securities Company was brought up. Of this the speaker said:

The organization of the Northern Securities Company in New Jersey to hold the stock of two great competing interstate railroads of the northwest, the combination of the beef packers between themselves and with several great railroad systems, and a number of other new forms of corporate aggression, brought President Roosevelt, right upon the threshold of his administration, face to face with the question whether he would accept the view that these new devices, whose deadly effect upon competition was certain, should escape the evident intention of the law because, as their promoters claimed, their effect was indirect upon interstate commerce, or because, as they were created under the laws of a state, they were beyond federal power. These were the two views advanced in their behalf.

The president did not hesitate long in reaching a conclusion and announced that the position of the administration was that the power of congress "to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several states and with Indian tribes, was plenary and extended to all kinds of traffic and its instrumentalities.

### Federal Power Supreme.

This matters stood in December, 1902, when the first session of the Fifty-eighth congress was convened. The president had announced his views of the supremacy of the federal power in respect of commercial intercourse between the states and with foreign nations. He had declared for the vitality of the anti-trust act and for the view that the power of congress under the commercial clause of the Constitution was not exhausted by the provisions of that act, and he had caused to be instituted, among others, four suits, each one of which involved new features either in the makeup of combinations or in their effect upon commerce.

The first related to the monopoly produced by secret and preferential rates for railroad transportation and the jurisdiction of a court of equity to destroy such monopoly at the suit of the United States; the second to railroad traffic pooling and the routing of traffic of independent corporations to fix and maintain extortionate prices and whether its operations wholly within a state were so connected with those between the states as to bring the whole under the regulative power of congress, and the fourth to a corporation organized to merge into itself the control of parallel and competing lines of railroad and eliminate competition in transportation, and thereby nullify the act of congress to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies.

### Congress Adopted President's Views.

It is a matte of history that immediately upon the assembling of congress numerous bills were presented in both branches based upon their proponents' view of the president's conception of the scope of congressional power.

I had the honor to be deputed by the president to express the conclusions he had reached and did so. It was stated to be the president's view that the end desired was that combinations of capital should be regulated and not destroyed, and that while effectual measures should be taken to correct the tendency toward monopoly, yet even the suggestion of legislation regulating the business interests of the country beyond the point necessary to accomplish that end was a thing to be avoided.

That it was believed that a monopoly in any industry would be impossible in this country, where money is abundant and cheap and in the hands or within the reach of keen and capable men, if competition were assured a fair and open field and protected against unfair, artificial and discriminating practices.

Another step in legislation which was earnestly recommended was an act to speed the final decision of cases under the anti-trust law.

### Parker's Position Criticised.

Every one of the president's suggestions was promptly acted upon and became a law before the expiration of that session of congress. On February 14, 1903, the department of commerce and labor was created and in that department a bureau called the "bureau of corporations," at the head of which was placed a commissioner, in whom the power was vested to make investigation into the organization, conduct, and management of the business of all corporations, joint stock companies, and corporate combinations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce.

Congress also passed what is commonly known as the "Elkins law," which amended the interstate commerce law in several important particulars. This is a splendid record of constructive legislation.

What is the Democratic view of these important accomplishments and the subject to which they relate? Do they claim that the Republican administration has gone too far or is it that we have not gone far enough?

In the New York platform of April 18, 1904, a platform for which Mr. Hill and Judge Parker are said to be responsible, and upon which Judge Parker stood while seeking delegates for the national Democratic convention, a platform which by its express terms only undertook to make declarations upon the national issues of the hour, it is declared, "corporations chartered by the state must be subject to just regulation by the state." The just inference from this declaration is that the Republican party has gone too far, for it believes and has acted upon the belief that congress has the power to regulate commerce among the several states and that this includes the power to regulate corporations created by the state if it be essential to do so to protect the freedom of interstate commerce.

### No Remedy in Common Law.

Does the Democratic party stand for the nullification of this power?

That platform was prepared by a lawyer and approved by a judge, and the lawyer and judge knew that, having announced that they were dealing with national issues only, the declaration that "corporations must be subject to just regulation by the state" meant that regulation by the United States should be excluded, as the nature of the subject does not admit of the exercise of dual authority.

Judge Parker says leave the trusts to the common law, which means leave them alone as the common law furnishes no remedy to prevent combinations in restraint of trade while the Democratic platform "denounces rebates and discriminations by transportation companies as the most patent agency in promoting and strengthening these unlawful conspiracies against trade."

Some men, while conceding the president's duty to enforce the laws, refer to his intervention in the anthracite coal troubles in Pennsylvania as a manifestation of a disposition to interfere with matters not properly within his province.

### Avoided Radical Counsel.

Many of the most radical courses were urged upon the president from sources demanding the gravest consideration. Journals which have claimed to be particularly representative of conservatism were urging the president to invade the state of Pennsylvania with the army of the United States, without legal authority and under circumstances that would have demanded and justified his immediate impeachment.

Friends of the workers were demanding in their name the intervention of the government in a way that could not have brought about a resumption of operations of the mines, but would have inevitably postponed such resumption; while the general public, suffering from the famine in fuel and the exorbitant prices which they had to pay for that which was obtainable, were insisting that something, yes, anything, be done.

It should only be necessary for us to recall the president's wise, conservative and deliberate action when he sailed into the harbor of safety out of these cross-currents of conflicting suggestion to put to shame those who in the face of the most convincing facts continue to denounce his course as unwarranted and misjudged.

The president has been faithful to his trust and just to all the people. He has not swerved from what to him seemed right to meet the views or avoid the criticism of any. He would not tolerate the view that any man was above the law nor the suggestion that any man who observed the law was beyond its protection, no matter how small, or how important his interests, and no matter how vociferous the hue and cry against him. His fairness to all has aborted all efforts to create class divisions and class issues during his administration.

At the conclusion of Senator Knox's speech he was heartily applauded. Chairman Bliss then said that he had just learned that former Secretary Root was in the house and that the club would not be satisfied to adjourn without hearing a word from him.

Mr. Root was escorted to the platform and said in part: "The only cloud that I can see in the sky now, as far as national matters go, is the fear that we may be over-confident."

After paying a tribute to Frank W. Higgins, Republican candidate for governor of New York, Mr. Root closed with an eulogy of President Roosevelt, which was vigorously applauded.

## WEDDING JOURNEY IS SUDDENLY TERMINATED

### Bridegroom Is Stricken With Serious Illness and With Bride Is Forced to Return Home.

The honeymoon of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Leigh of Beaver Falls came to an abrupt termination in Carnegie yesterday morning. Mr. Leigh is lying dangerously ill at his home in Beaver Falls. Miss Helen T. Breckenridge, prominent socially in Rochester, was married to Mr. Leigh Wednesday night at her home in Rochester. After the wedding the bridge and groom came to Pittsburgh on a late train and then took a train for the world's fair.

As the train left the Panhandle station Mr. Leigh was suddenly taken ill. His condition was noticed by the conductor of the train just before Carnegie was reached. Mrs. Leigh asked him to stop the train and the couple alighted. Alone in the town at an early hour in the morning Mrs. Leigh did not know to whom to turn for help and she waited in the street with her husband for assistance. A pedestrian finally appeared and promised to take care of Leigh while she hunted a doctor. Leigh, with the assistance of his wife and a stranger, managed to reach the office of a doctor. The next inbound train was taken and the couple went to Beaver Falls. He is suffering from appendicitis.

## LAWSON TELLS HOW HE AIDED WESTINGHOUSE

### Helped Restore Stocks to Former Price and Attacked General Electric as Counter Movement.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Everybody's November magazine has chapter 13 of Lawson's "Frenzied Finance." The editor intimates that the story "may continue for a year or more." The alleged attempt on the part of the "system" to destroy the credit of the Westinghouse Company is set forth, together with the subsequent crash in Westinghouse stocks.

"These were the conditions," says Lawson, "when I, as an experi in stock market affairs, was called in for assistance, whereby the Westinghouse stocks could be restored to their former high price and new treasury stock sold to pay for the projected extensions."

Mr. Lawson then justifies his attack on General Electric by stating that it was undertaken as a counter-movement, whereby the "system" would have no time to interfere with Westinghouse.

## DEMOCRATS IN COURT.

### Testimony Is Taken In the Shull-Broadhead Congressional Contest at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The battle between Dr. Joseph H. Shull of Stroudsburg and J. Davis Broadhead of South Bethlehem over the Democratic nomination for congress in the Twenty-sixth district was concluded in the Dauphin county court today, and it is expected a decision will be filed on Monday. Testimony was taken today to show that from 1888 it has been the custom for Northampton county to have five conferees and the other counties to have three each.

Judge Weiss today directed Secretary of the Commonwealth Fuller to certify the nomination of Abia Micke and Louis W. Heckes, Prohibition nominees for representatives in Adams county. Their certificate was thrown out by the state department on the ground that the party was not entitled to nominate by certificate.

## PURGING VOTING LISTS.

### Governor Odell Announces Fraudulent Enrollment Has Increased to 20,000.

### Colonization in Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Gov. Odell announced today that the number of cases of alleged fraudulent enrollment had increased to 20,000. The Republicans, he added, were determined to purge the voting lists of all names of those having no right to vote, whether the would-be voters were Republicans or Democrats.

The governor said that an extensive system of colonization had been discovered in Brooklyn, and he made the sensational statement that Superintendent of Election Morgan, in four arrests made yesterday by his deputies, had come pretty close to getting "the man higher up" below Fourteenth street.

The governor would not say who "the man higher up" was, but he intimated that there would be shortly sensational developments on the lower East Side.

### Judge White Opens His Campaign.

INDIANA, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Judge Harry White, candidate for re-election on an independent ticket, opened his campaign here tonight with an ox roast. Judge White was candidate for the nomination at the spring election and received only about 300 votes in the county. Up to this time it was thought by the politicians of the county that he would withdraw before the time had expired. He has been judge of this county for 20 years. He is now 70 years old. There are two other candidates, S. J. Telford, Republican, and H. B. Tomb, Democrat.

### Rented His Huckster's License.

The huckster's license of T. H. Rosenbleech of McKeesport was confiscated by Chief of Police Rotzsch yesterday. Rotzsch found a boy using Rosenbleech's license. It is claimed that Rosenbleech, after paying $35 for a yearly license, rented it out to other hucksters at $2 a week, thus making about $70 a year on his license.


## Catarrh of the Stomach.

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Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing, headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played-out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson, the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. R. S. Workman, Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach, this producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

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# BRYAN HAS STARTED FOR HENRY G. DAVIS' STATE

## Finishes Tour in Indiana and Goes Into Kentucky Greeted by Large Crowds.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 20.—"The Democrats of Indiana seem to be ready to vote now," said William J. Bryan, when he concluded his tour of Indiana, at New Albany, tonight. The closing day of the tour through Indiana was regarded by Mr. Bryan and his party as the most successful of all in respect to the size and enthusiasm of the audiences. "I firmly believe that Indiana will return a plurality for Parker and Davis," said Mr. Bryan, in opening his speech at New Albany.

Immediately on concluding his New Albany speech Mr. Bryan made a dash into Kentucky, addressing a great throng which filled Phoenix hall garden.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Oct. 20.—Henry G. Davis will welcome W. J. Bryan to West Virginia tomorrow. Mr. Bryan will speak here during the afternoon. It is the present intention of Mr. Davis to accompany the Nebraskan to Huntington and Charleston, but his fatigue from his strenuous trip of the past 10 days may make it necessary to alter this plan tomorrow.

## ADDRESSED YOUNG PEOPLE.

### The Rev. Dr. McCrory Urges Them to Aid in Educational Campaign.

The Rev. J. T. McCrory, D. D., addressed the members of the Allegheny City Christian Endeavor union in semi-annual session in the Central Presbyterian church last evening on the proposed campaign of education on the Sunday observance movement. Dr. McCrory discussed the part that young people's societies are expected to perform in the introduction of literature and by personal effort.

Installation of officers followed and the meeting closed with an address by the Rev. A. J. Bonsall to the new officers.

### Receivers for Iron Pipe Company.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Marquis F. Dickinson of Brookline and Samuel K. Hamilton of Wakefield today were appointed receivers for the Jefferson Manufacturing Company of Lexington. The American Tube Works of Somerville applied for the receivership, alleging that the Jefferson Company is insolvent. The Jefferson company's product is iron pipe unions.

# WATSON SAYS PARKER'S NOMINATION WAS BOUGHT

## Declares It Cost Less Than Would the Defeat of Hearst.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 20.—The Populist campaign in Marion county was opened tonight by Thomas E. Watson of Georgia, the party's candidate for president. The theater was well filled and the speaker's remarks were frequently and vigorously applauded. Mr. Watson said in part:

The plutocratic element of the Democratic party is as much opposed to a genuine Democrat like Hearst or Bryan as the Republicans are. It cost plutocracy $10,000,000 to defeat Bryan. It would have cost them twice as much this year to defeat Hearst. Therefore they bought the nomination for Parker. It was cheaper to buy up a few hundred delegates than to buy millions of voters.

The plutocratic element in the Democratic party has nullified the Democratic victory in 1892 by using Cleveland's second administration as an opportunity for the most shameless class legislation this country has ever known. Even in 1896, when Mr. Bryan was strong enough to secure the nomination, the plutocratic element in his own party was so powerful that it closed up the avenue of success by retaining upon the ticket Arthur Sewall of Maine. In each campaign the gold standard element in the Democratic party knifed and defeated Mr. Bryan. In 1904 that element completely overthrew him at St. Louis.

Mr. Bryan must know that the Cleveland crowd is in control of Parker and is no better now than it was in 1896. The appetite of the leopard may be a little keener than it was then, but he has not changed his spots.

## SEPARATED FORTY YEARS, BROTHERS HOLD REUNION

ST. LOUIS, MO., Oct. 20.—After 40 years' separation A. C. Campbell of Pittsburgh and Capt. David Campbell of St. Louis met. David became a river captain. The brother went into the mill business in Pittsburgh. After coming here the Pittsburgh man secured a clue at pilots' headquarters and they had a reunion on the steamer Laura.

### Negress Fought Two Officers.

Mary Jones, colored, of the West End was committed to jail last night by Alderman McGovern. Jennie Martin alleges Mary Jones struck her son, Thomas Jefferson Martin. Constable C. L. Turell and Policeman W. P. Reynolds had trouble placing the woman under arrest. She fought the officers for five minutes before they overpowered her.

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| Columbus and Cincinnati | * 4.50 am | * 6.50 pm |
| Cleveland and Bellaire | † 5.00 am | † 7.25 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire | † 5.00 am | † 6.55 pm |
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| Wellsville and Bellaire | † 7.30 am | † 8.55 pm |
| Mercer and Oil City | † 7.45 am | † 5.35 am |
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| The World's Fair Special | * 1.00 pm | * 2.15 pm |
| Columbus and Chicago | 1.05 pm | * 2.40 pm |
| Cleveland and Bellaire | * 1.05 pm | * 5.15 pm |
| Alliance and Mansfield | * 1.55 pm | † 1.00 pm |
| New Castle and Erie | * 4.20 pm | † 5.20 pm |
| Mercer and Oil City | * 4.30 pm | † 8.20 pm |
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| The Cleveland Special | * 5.00 pm | *11.15 am |
| Wellsville and Bellaire | † 5.10 pm | † 9.10 am |
| The Chicago Special | * 5.50 pm | * 7.45 am |
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| The Pennsylvania Limited | * 8.15 pm | * 6.55 am |
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| LINES EAST. | Depart. | Arrive. |
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| Cumberland Accom | 6.30 am | * 9.25 pm |
| Connells. & Mt. Pleasant | † 6.30 am | †10.00 am |
| Wash., Balt. & N. York | * 8.00 am | * 7.45 pm |
| Conn'v, Un'tn & Fairm't. | * 8.00 am | * 7.45 pm |
| West Newton Accom | † 9.15 am | † 8.00 am |
| Cumb., Wash. & Balt | * 1.00 pm | * 2.45 pm |
| Conn., Un'tn, Morgant'n | † 1.35 pm | †10.00 am |
| Connells. & Mt. Pleasant | † 1.35 pm | † 5.00 pm |
| Connellsville Accom | * 4.00 pm | † 5.05 pm |
| Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston | † 5.00 pm | †12.50 pm |
| Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited) | * 6.30 pm | * 9.00 am |
| West Newton Accom | † 6.40 pm | † 1.30 pm |
| Wash., Balt. & Falls | * 9.00 pm | * 7.15 am |
| LINES WEST VIA WHEELING. | | |
| Columbus & Cincin. Exp. | 12.05 am | |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. | * 7.00 am | *10.35 am |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp. | * 8.30 am | * 7.45 am |
| St. Louis Limited | * 1.30 pm | *11.00 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling | * 4.35 pm | * 5.45 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. | * 5.35 pm | * 8.45 am |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp. | * 8.50 pm | * 7.55 pm |
| LINES WEST VIA AKRON. | | |
| Cleve., Akron & Youngst. | * 7.50 am | * 8.15 pm |
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| Butler | † 7.00 am | † 8.00 am |
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| Butler, Foxburg | † 8.15 am | † 5.10 pm |
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| St. Louis & Kan. City | 1:00 P. M. | 4:15 P. M. |
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Atlantic Express, daily ..... 7.30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily ..... 8.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily ..... 12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily ..... 12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington ..... 4.50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York ..... 4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York ..... 7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily ..... 9.00 p. m.
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For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m. week days and 4.30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8.20 a. m., 3.25, 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week days; 7.00, 9.35 a. m., and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6.05 a. m. and 1.05 p. m. week days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 8.05, 8.20, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.30 (5.20 to Monongahela City), 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 4.30, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.

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| Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail | * 8.30 am | * 5.10 pm |
| Buffalo and Erie Express | † 8.30 am | † 7.15 pm |
| Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line | *12.50 pm | * 6.30 am |
| St. Louis Express | *12.50 pm | * 8.50 am |
| Buffalo and Erie Express | ‡ 5.00 pm | * 9.45 pm |
| Cleveland and Chicago Ex. | * 2.30 pm | *12.30 pm |
| Boston Special | † 5.00 pm | * 6.35 am |
| Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer" | 6.15 pm | *11.15 am |
| Chicago Limited | * 6.15 pm | * 6.35 pm |
| Lorain-ex Limited | * 9.00 pm | * 2.20 pm |
| Buffalo and Cleveland Ex. | *10.30 pm | * 6.35 pm |
| Youngstown Accom. | † 5.30 am | † 5.50 am |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 6.40 am | † 8.35 am |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 9.00 am | † 9.30 am |
| West Pittsburgh Accom. | 12.10 pm | † 4.15 pm |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 3.30 pm | 12.15 am |
| New Castle Express | † 4.20 pm | † 7.30 am |
| New Castle Express | † 8.05 am | † 1.10 pm |
| Beaver Falls Express | † 5.25 pm | † 6.30 am |
| Brownsville Accom. | † 6.10 am | † 6.45 am |
| Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex. | * 8.00 am | * 8.00 am |
| McKeespt. & Brownsville | 11.50 am | 12.40 pm |
| Brownsville & N. Haven | † 3.30 pm | † 4.50 pm |
| Brownsville & N. Haven | † 5.20 pm | † 5.45 pm |

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# SOUTHERN OHIO GIVES GREETING

## Wellston Does Herself Proud in Entertaining Pittsburgh Trade Boomers.

### EVEN THE DOGS WORE COLORS

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
John P. Cowan, Staff Correspondent.

ATHENS, O., Oct. 20.—Pittsburgh enterprise has captured southern Ohio, and the gracious hospitality of the people in these rich counties has won the everlasting gratitude of the excursionists of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association. Today's pilgrimage through Hocking, Vinton, Jackson, Galia, Meigs and Athens counties was marked by a demonstrative welcome. Schools were dismissed, fire departments turned out in honor of the guests, banners waved mute greeting and even the dogs of the little city of Wellston were decorated with the yellow and black ribbon of Pittsburgh's colors.

Among the gold and scarlet maples the travelers today caught sight of the luxuriant magnolias which signaled the silent message that the boomers were entering a southern section and the generous handshakes of the people came as unmistakable tokens of a characteristic southern welcome.

No member of the party will forget the warmth with which the flourishing people of Wellston received their guests. The discordant shriek of mill whistles, the clanging of bells and the music of a brass band announced the arrival of the train. Mayor T. R. Jones sprang on a flat car and in an eloquent little speech welcomed the Pittsburghers. President Lloyd responded for the association and Dr. W. S. Hoy made an address.

"Look around you," he said, "you see mills and mines and factories and smoke just like you have at home. We are proud to hear people say that this is a city that resembles Pittsburgh. We like your smoke, we like you and we should like to know you better. We want to see you get more of our trade and we want to feel more of the magnetic influence of your enterprise. We want to be Pittsburgh's general agent in Southeastern Ohio. Thirty years ago Wellston was a corn field. Today it is the home of over 10,000 happy, prosperous people who are delighted with this opportunity to offer our humble hospitality to our neighbors from dear old Pennsylvania."

The band struck up a stirring tune and the visitors marched to the center of the town. Prof. H. W. Patterson, principal of the high school, had given his pupils a half-holiday and they marched to the main street and paraded around the group of astonished trade boomers. Every high school girl demanded a souvenir and buttons, badges, books and pictures were freely distributed. Those who had no gifts at hand bought boxes of candy to make the girls happy. Then the dogs of Wellston were turned loose and ran through the streets with collars of yellow and black ribbon and the same colors were everywhere conspicuously displayed. The hook and ladder truck turned out and gave an exhibition in the main street. When the journey was resumed, after tarrying less than an hour in the town, it seemed that the people of Wellston were parting with old friends.

The reception was held under the auspices of the Wellston Industrial association, of which L. E. Denning is president and A. A. Dowd is secretary. The members of the reception committee were J. C. Gooding, J. O. Dorsey, J. G. Spira, J. O. Hawkins, J. E. Sylvester, Jr.; W. H. Reese, A. Hobt, Mayor Jones and F. A. Carract.

During the brief visit a number of the local merchants provided entertainment in their stores for Pittsburghers who represented their lines of trade. The initiative in this was taken by Fred Mullineaux, proprietor of a Wellston department store, who had Adolph Mannsman for his guest.

Two big Hocking Valley passenger locomotives struggled hard to haul the long train over the heavy grades south of Wellston and were two hours late in reaching Gallipolis. This interfered with the plans of the local reception committee and an hour was spent in calling upon the merchants of the town.

At Pomeroy it was after dark when the train arrived and a heavy shower added to the discomfort of a late schedule. The Pomeroy board of trade had planned a trolley ride, but this was abandoned and the majority of the trade boomers remained in their cars. The reception committee from the board of trade called on the Pittsburgh merchants and talked shop for half an hour. Here Ohio girls were again in evidence and scores of them came to inspect the wonderful train. It was a novelty to them and every one wanted the chance to converse with their friends in adjoining cars over the inter-car telephone service, which has been installed by the Bell Telephone Company. Throughout the trip the courtesies granted by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the Central Union Telephone Company and the Central District and Printing Telegraph Company has proved of great convenience. Last night over 150 messages were checked over the wires and every evening the passengers have conversed with their loved ones at home while sitting in a luxurious Pullman. Superintendent S. B. Saylor of the Western Union Telegraph Company has done the honors for the Western Union and scores of social messages are handled every day.

The train was late in arriving at Athens and the program was confined to an interchange of sociable business calls between the local merchants and the travelers.

### HILL REPEATS HIS CHARGE.

#### Attacks Again the Selection of Cortelyou as Campaign Manager.

MANSFIELD, O., Oct. 20.—Former Senator D. B. Hill of New York was the principal speaker at a largely attended Democratic meeting here tonight. In the course of his speech he said that the spectacle of a president of the United States conducting his own campaign through a former private secretary was unparalleled. The president selected as secretary of the department of commerce and labor a man not identified with either and then made him chairman of the national campaign, in which position he was said to be using information obtained in his official capacity as secretary of the department of commerce and labor. He predicted that the electoral vote of New York would be cast for Parker.

### SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS LA FOLLETTE FACTION

MADISON, WIS., Oct. 20.—The long delayed majority opinion of the supreme court of Wisconsin on the Republican factional fight in this state was filed today by Judge Marshall. It merely affirms the decision made two weeks ago. Principal interest centers in the dissenting opinion by Chief Justice Cassoday, which is in substance that the "Stalwarts" were right and the "Half-breeds" (the LaFollette faction) wrong in the contention.

#### Trainmen Return from Philadelphia.

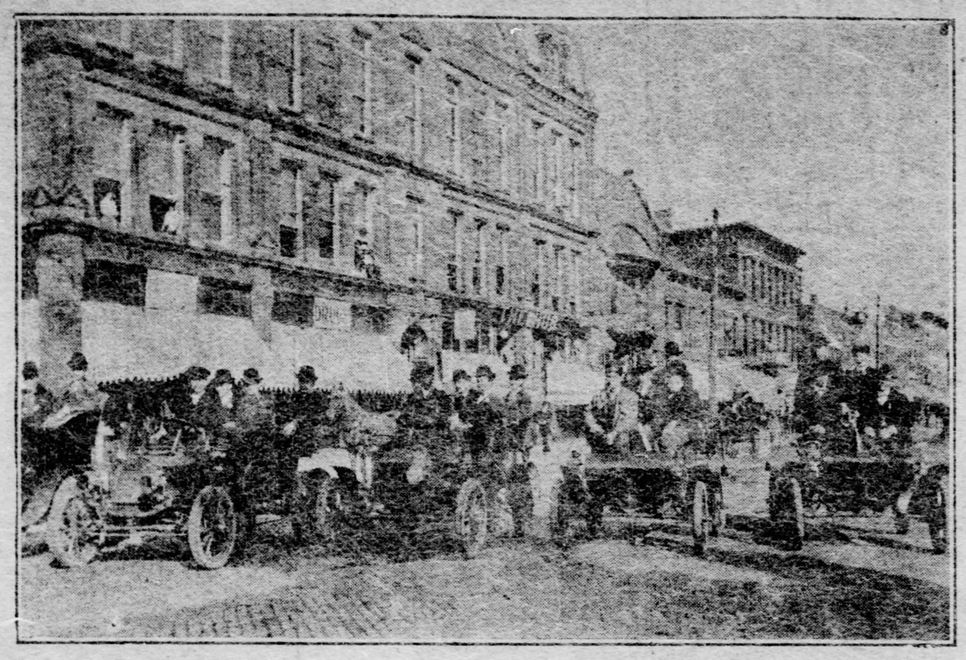
The executive committee of the Brotherhood of Trainmen returned yesterday from Philadelphia, where they had attended a meeting of the board of adjustment. They did not hold a conference with President A. J. Cassatt regarding the concessions being asked. It is thought another effort will be made to meet General Manager G. L. Peck.

#### Pittsburgh Synod Ends Session.

INDIANA, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh synod of the United Presbyterian church, which has been in session here, ended its sessions this morning, after selecting Newville, Cumberland county, as the place of meeting next year. The meeting last evening was opened with a business meeting. The Rev. W. B. Smiley, moderator, delivered a sermon. The Rev. Mr. Littell spoke this morning on evangelical work.

#### Blew into Muzzle; Is Killed.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Oliver, the ten-year-old son of James Hardwick of Dunlow, 20 miles south, while examining a gun this evening began blowing in the muzzle, thinking it empty. The weapon was discharged, killing him instantly.



Trade Seekers Taking Automobile Ride at Coshocton, O.

## LARGE BALANCE LEFT IN MT. PELEE RELIEF FUND

### Over $57,000 Returned to Subscribers. Committee Reports to President Roosevelt and is Discharged.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—In May, 1902, President Roosevelt appointed the National Martinique and West Indies relief committee to collect and disburse the funds for the relief of sufferers through the Mount Pelee disaster. The committee has concluded its work, has made a final report to the president and has asked to be discharged. The president has compiled, thanking the committee:

The report made by the committee shows that the subscriptions received aggregated $157,592, and the interest $2,260. The general relief disbursements were $15,640 for food and clothing, $11,848 for a hospital and asylum at Martinique, $47,052 for miscellaneous relief work, $25,000 sent to Governor Taft at the suggestion of the president and by consent of the subscribers for relief work in the Philippine Islands and $57,409 returned to subscribers. The salaries, traveling and incidental expenses amounted to $2,902.

## "AT THIS ROPE'S END," WAS SUICIDE'S GOODBYE

ERIE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Louis E. Thompson, aged 30, committed suicide by throwing himself into the bay this afternoon. He tied a rope to himself and jumped overboard from his boat, leaving this note to his brother on his coat: "I am at the end of this rope." He had been despondent since his father died, a few months ago.

#### Disorderly Juror Punished.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 20.—Judge Bigger today fined Juror Thomas J. Stephens $25 and discharged him from duty because he became intoxicated and violently remonstrated with the other jurors in a manslaughter case.

President Lloyd, of the M. & M., Greets Soldiers' Orphans at Xenia, O.

## PARKER RETURNS HOME.

### He Will Address Delegation of 2,000 Democrats of Hudson County from Veranda Today.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Judge Parker arrived here shortly before 9 o'clock tonight and drove to his home at Rosemount, from the veranda of which tomorrow afternoon he will address a delegation of 2,000 Democrats from Hudson county, N. J. It will be the largest delegation that has yet visited Rosemount.

Judge Parker's topic, it is said, will be the alleged extravagance of the present administration. He will deliver another address, dealing with militarism or the tariff, to the Harlem Democratic club members, who will visit Esopus on Saturday.

## PITTSBURGHER IS ROBBED.

### While He Watched Pursuit of a Thief He is Relieved of Satchel and Coat.

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Robert Fleming of Pittsburgh was robbed this afternoon while watching the police chase a thief up Central avenue.

Fleming was at the Central Union depot. A patrol wagon in pursuit of a thief who had stolen some clothing, attracted Mr. Fleming's attention and he ran with a crowd to see the chase. He left his grip and overcoat in the depot and when he returned discovered that a thief had made off with both articles. The stolen property, he valued at $75. There were bank checks for $300 and other valuable papers in the valise. Mr. Fleming told his story to the police, but no trace of the thief has as yet been found.

# COMPROMISED ON DIVORCE QUESTION

## Episcopal House of Deputies Decides That Innocent Persons May Remarry.

### APPLICANT MUST WAIT A YEAR

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—By an overwhelming majority a compromise canon on the remarriage of divorced persons was adopted by the house of deputies of the Episcopal general convention today, and if it is concurred in by the house of bishops the most important issue that has come before the present convention will be disposed of for at least three years.

The compromise measure, like the old law, permits the remarriage of the innocent person in a divorce for the cause of infidelity, but further provides that no remarriage shall be allowed within one year after a decree has been issued by the civil court. Satisfactory proof of the innocence of the applicant for remarriage must be furnished in the shape of court records, and after the consent of the bishop is obtained, a clergyman may refuse to perform such a ceremony without subjecting himself to censure or discipline.

In the opinion of Francis A. Lewis of Philadelphia, a member of the committee on canons, who favored no remarriage to any divorced persons, but who accepted the compromise, the canon adopted today is so strict that if indorsed by the bishops it will practically put the church, as he expressed it, "out of the divorce business." Others, however, claimed that they saw "loopholes" in it.

The house of bishops today nominated the Rev. Henry D. Aves of Houston, Tex., for missionary bishop of Mexico, to have supervision over English-speaking congregations in that country.

## BAPTIST SESSIONS CLOSE.

### Societies Gathered at McKeesport Concluded Their Meetings Yesterday.

The various sessions of Baptist societies in connection with the sixty-fifth anniversary of the Pennsylvania Baptist Educational society came to a close yesterday morning in McKeesport. Officers of the Educational society were elected as follows: President, H. N. McKinney of Philadelphia; corresponding secretary, the Rev. Dr. Levi Stephens of Lewisburg; recording secretary, the Rev. Dr. J. G. Walker of Philadelphia; treasurer, C. L. Tustin of Philadelphia.

Following the election there was a general discussion upon the condition of Bucknell university and a closing address by the Rev. Dr. J. T. Judd of Lewisburg.

#### Missionary Society to Meet.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the presbyteries of Pittsburgh and Allegheny will meet next Wednesday in the First Presbyterian church, Arch street, Allegheny. There will be sessions morning and afternoon. A feature of the day will be the presence of several returned missionaries. Among them will be the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Eakin of Bangkok, Siam; the Rev. and Mrs. S. G. Wilson of Tabriz, Persia, and the Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Johnston of Africa.

#### Want Streets Opened.

A joint committee of the councils of Braddock and North Braddock will confer today with S. C. Long, superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad. The Pennsylvania railroad runs between the two boroughs the distance of a mile and the councils want to open three streets, one under the tracks and the others by bridges over the tracks, to prevent the fatalities caused by the millworkers' habit of crossing the tracks rather than make a detour of a mile to find a safe crossing.

# DR. VERNON BELL MADE MODERATOR

## Presbyterian Synod of Pennsylvania Honors Well-Known Dubois Divine.

### BOUNDARY FIGHT GROWS HOT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

OXFORD, PA., Oct. 20.—The Presbyterian synod of Pennsylvania passed a busy day hearing routine reports on the condition of the literary institutions under its care—Lincoln university, Lafayette college, Blairsville College for Women and Washington and Jefferson college. The customary addresses will be made by the presidents of these colleges. The seventy-fifth anniversary celebration of Lafayette college in 1907 was arranged for. The event of the day was the election of a moderator. The Rev. Dr. Calvin C. Hays of Johnstown nominated Dr. J. Vernon Bell of DuBois, and the Rev. Dr. Charles E. Burns of Philadelphia nominated the Rev. Dr. William P. White, Pittsburgh and Allegheny were solid for Dr. Bell, who was elected by an overwhelming majority, Dr. White receiving but 27 votes out of the 208 cast. Dr. Bell made a graceful inaugural address, recognizing the high honor conferred on the Clarion presbytery by making one of its members moderator.

The Rev. Robert Watson welcomed the synod formally and presented Moderator Bell with a gavel made from cedar of Lebanon and wood from the old church built in 1775. The gavel was made and given by a man who is an elder in the church, whose father was pastor of the church for 35 years, whose great-grandfather was a pastor and an elder in the church, as was also his great-great-grandfather.

The Rev. Dr. J. M. McJunkin of Pittsburgh, corresponding secretary of synodical home missions, made the main report of the day, showing that his committee had employed 148 missionaries, who had served 207 churches and received 1,554 members, all at an expense of $66,717. The report held that Pennsylvania is the greatest home mission field in the church, owing to the influx of foreigners. The report was discussed with animation by several commissioners.

At the mass meeting tonight in the interest of synodical missions and sustentation, the Rev. Dr. John R. Davies of Philadelphia presided, and the address was made by the Rev. Dr. Samuel Black McCormick, the new chancellor of the Western university. Mr. McCormick has been a member of the synodical committee for five years and described its work. He then spoke at length of changed conditions, showing how the incoming of masses of foreigners had made Pennsylvania the greatest home mission field in the church. His maiden speech made a strong impression.

The Rev. Dr. John F. Carson of Brooklyn addressed the synod on the subject of evangelization, speaking as a representative of the general assembly's committee.

A start on the recognition of Pittsburgh men was made today. The Rev. Dr. Charles F. Cheeseman assisted in the opening exercises, the Rev. William A. Jones was appointed temporary clerk, and Dr. S. B. McCormick was assigned the place of honor in the evening addresses. From this on the Western Pennsylvania men propose to have recognition.

It was practically settled today that the next meeting of the synod will be held in the First Presbyterian church of Greensburg, of which ex-consul, the Rev. Dr. Edwin S. Wallace, is pastor. Other places have withdrawn in his favor.

The Rev. E. O. Sawhill of Allegheny was appointed chairman of the judicial committee and the Rev. Dr. J. M. Duff of Pittsburgh of the education committee.

Discussion of the presbyterial boundary question is growing hot and is verging on personality as the time to open the debate in the synod approaches. An effort will be made to throw the whole matter out of court on the ground that no presbytery has asked for readjustment and that the synod has no right to inaugurate the movement. The committee of synod appointed last year will evade trouble by reporting in favor of the appointment of a larger committee to report when the synod meets next year on the ground of battle. The Rev. Dr. Snowden said:

"Washington presbytery wants Washington county, but Canonsburg and Monongahela do not want to leave the Pittsburgh presbytery. Blairsville objects to giving up Braddock and Turtle Creek and Redstone objects to giving up McKeesport, so the fight is assuming large proportions."

The Rev. Dr. J. M. Duff and others will spare no effort to prevent any action at all.

## SYNOD CAN DO NOTHING.

### Committee on Jamestown Church Case Says Civil Courts Must Decide the Matter.

GREENVILLE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Rev. Dr. Alexander Gilchrist, general secretary of the board of home missions, addressed the First Synod of the West of the United Presbyterian church today. During the year aid was given to 258 stations, the total membership of which was 17,439. The contributions of the missions was $109,721. The entire expenditure for the work was $104,784. Charles R. Watson of Philadelphia made an address covering his work as secretary of the board of foreign missions. Other addresses were made by J. Campbell White of Allegheny and the Rev. A. J. Young. The affairs of Westminster college occupied the synod at the morning session. The following trustees were re-elected: The Rev. Dr. S. W. Gilkey of Mercer; the Rev. H. H. Houston of Struthers, O.; Judge James M. Galbreath of Butler. The appointment of D. W. McNaugher of Allegheny, M. M. Patterson of Wilkinsburg and the Rev. E. N. McElree of New Wilmington as trustees of the college was confirmed. The congregations of the synod were urged to cooperate with the board of trustees in their work for new buildings and increased endowment.

The following directors of Allegheny Theological seminary were re-elected: The Rev. R. W. Kidd, Beaver Falls; the Rev. W. T. Wishart and J. N. Smith of Allegheny. The committee appointed to investigate the Wallace case reported that the synod was unable to settle the matter, as it was a civil and not an ecclesiastical case. Wallace refused absolutely to withdraw the suit.

## LOSSES IN STUDENT BODY.

### West Virgina Presbyterian Synod Will Investigate Matters.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Rev. Dr. D. A. Cunningham of Wheeling, Robert E. Speer of New York and John Willis Baer of New York, addressed the West Virginia synod of the Presbyterian church tonight. The committee on resolutions showed a great falling off in the number of ministerial students and recommended that special efforts be made to increase the number.

The Woman's Synodical society elected: President, Mrs. J. H. Flanagan, Grafton; vice presidents, Mrs. A. M. Buchanan, Morgantown; Mrs. Thomas Anderson, Sistersville; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Shears, Wheeling; corresponding secretary, Miss Katharine White of Charleston; literary secretary, Miss Katharine Sgone of Spencer.

#### Reformed Synod Hears Reports.

BERLIN, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—At today's session of the Pittsburgh synod of the Reformed church the following officers were elected: President, C. R. Verner of Scottdale; vice president, R. E. Crum of Dubois; secretary, J. L. Barnhart of Saegertown; state clerk, J. H. Mickley of Johnstown; treasurer, Dr. A. J. Heller of Connellsville. The Rev. D. H. Leader spoke in the interest of St. Paul's orphan home at Butler, the Rev. S. S. Miller of Fredericksburg, Md., in the interest of ministerial relief, and the Rev. Dr. C. J. Musser in the interest of church publications. Treasurer Heller's report showed receipts for the last year, including the balance on hand, amounted to $21,045, with expenditures of $19,476.


# KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE" Hour Sale KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

**10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY.**

**Linings**— short ends and remnants of black and colored "sunshine" satin, lustral and ami-silk, finest 25c and 35c linings to go at, yd., 15c.

**Candies**— chocolate ice cream drops, rich, mellow vanilla cream, covered with best chocolate—confectioner's price is 40c, our price, pound, 20c.

**Mattings**— a belated shipment of fine rice Japanese mattings in damask or carpet patterns, 35c grade at roll of 40 yards 6.75, or yd., 17c.

**Overcoats**— boys' regular $3.50 fly front long cut oxford overcoats, velvet collar, also stylish Buster Brown overcoats, sizes 2½ to 17, for only 1.30.

**Carriage bags**— lot of women's fine leather carriage bags, strong braided handle, trimmed in gold, silver and gunmetal, regular $1 bags for only 79c.

**Boys' caps**— boys' and children's double and single band caps, in Norfolk, Rob Roy, eton and golf styles, plain or assorted cassimere patterns, also all-wool tooques, 35c caps for 18c.

**Hams**— Armour's very best selected California hams, lean and tender, sold elsewhere for 12c, now only pound, 9c.

**Cape collars**— large black spangled net cape collars, each, 25c. 20-in. silk floss pillows, muslin covered and dust proof, each, 25c. Hand made stock collars, in cream and white, 25c.

**Lace curtains**— "seconds" of fine Nottingham and Egyptian lace curtains, also Scotch and lace curtains, in brussels, Irish point and renaissance effects, worth up to $3, $4 and $5 per pair, go at, per strip, 49c and 89c.

**Porcelain ware**— White porcelain cups and saucers, very durable, worth $1 a dozen, to sell this hour at pair, 5c.

**Silk**— 56 in. Marquise Duchesse, fast black lining silk, guaranteed for two years or will be replaced free of charge, worth $1.75, at only 1.15. 36-in. satin for linings of all kinds, at yd., 75c.

**Skirts**— women's stylish walking skirts, made of fine fancy mixtures, meltons and suitings, some with kilts, others with pleats, strictly man-tailored—$3 and $3.50 skirts for 1.41.

**Aprons**— women's large size white lawn or gingham aprons, nicely made to go at only 5c.

**11 TO 12 M. TODAY**

**Water sets**— crystal glass water sets, consisting of jug, 6 tumblers and nickel tray, worth 50c, at set, 25c.

**Candies**— peanut pillows, made of ground peanuts, covered with crisp vanilla jackets, regular price 30c, during this hour at, pound, 20c.

**Sheeting**— 36 in. wide unbleached sheeting and dice roller crash towels, 7½c quality, at yd., 5c.

**Carpets**— one yard wide chemically treated ingrain carpets—the colors are absolutely fast, real value 40c, per yd., 25c.

**Skirt patterns**— a number of full skirt lengths of various styles of Fall skirtings and suitings, 3 to 4½ yd. lengths, 45 to 54 in. wide, worth $2.98, at, per pattern, 1.69.

**Tapestry squares**— 24 in. squares of fine wash velour, silk plush and embossed velour, mercerized and silk tapestry, also Oriental and gobelin tapestry, for cushion or chair covering, 75c, $1 and $1.50 materials, at each, 25c.

**Girdles**— crushed velvet girdles, also tucked and pleated taffetine girdles, in ribbon department at 19c. 12 yard bolt silk soutache braid, all colors and black, for 19c.

**Slippers**— women's felt house slippers —low heels, reduced from 75c to, pair, 42c.

**Rice**— extra Japan whole head rice, worth 9c pound, at 3 pound packages, 15c. Shredded wheat biscuit, 15c packages at 10c. Macaroni or spaghetti, 10 pound box, 43c.

**Curtain stretchers** Will take any size curtains, 75c. Cedar or pine wash tubs, regular family size, 45c. Market baskets with covers, 15c.

**Women's suits**— Latest fall styles, made of fine cheviots, broadcloths and suitings, jacket or Norfolk style, trimmed with fine braids and buttons, skirts are pleated, strapped and kilted, every suit worth $10 and $12 at only 6.90.

**Children's dresses**— Children's nicely made flannelette dresses, in light and dark colors, sizes 1 to 5 years, also gingham aprons for only 19c.

**Sweaters**— boys' 75c heavy honeycomb sweaters for 39c. Boys' fine all wool plain body or striped collar and cuff sweaters at 59c.

**12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY**

**Kid gloves**— lot of broken sizes and odds and ends of men's $1 and $1.50 kid gloves, dressed and undressed kid, all the best makes included, this hour, 59c.

**Suits**— youths' all wool blue, black or dark mixed single or double-breasted suits, also stylish long cut overcoats, worth $7.50, at 3.75.

**Sofa pillows**— covered with fine silk and satin, including Oriental and floral designs, $2 values, 98c. Bamboo corner chairs, tables and tabourettes, with fancy matting tops, $2 values, 98c.

**Supporters**— satin pad supporters, with heavy elastic ends, Foster style, pair 15c. Handmade teneriffe doylies, worth 25c, at 15c. Pure linen handkerchiefs, with lace edge, 25c values for 15c.

**Flannels**— fine double fleeced shaker and outing flannels, for making fine underwear, worth 10c, this hour at, yd., 8¼c.

**Shoes**— men's wax calf working shoes, solid double soles, regular price $2, this hour, pair, 1.45.

**Rugs**— 9x12 ft. size brussels rugs, 7½x10½ ft. wool Smyrna and 9x10½ ft. brussels rugs, all mill made and every one a $14 value—choice for 9.45.

**Picture frames**— 16x20 in. size, finished in gold leaf and Flemish and gold, suitable for fancy heads or portraits, oval and square, slightly damaged samples which regularly sell for $5, $8 and $10, choice for 1.98.

**Razors**— sample lot of high grade razors, best steel blades, 25c. Bread knife sets, including bread, cake and paring knives at 17c. Popcorn poppers, made of heavy wire, 10c.

**Silks**— 20 in. wide Lyons dyed peau de soie silks, guaranteed non-cracking or non-splitting, worth 75c, at 47½c. Novelty and foulard silks and satins, also plain taffetas, etc., worth up to 75c and 85c, at, yd., 39c.

**Corsets**— lot of C. B., straight front and dip hip corsets, top lace and ribbon trimmed, sizes 18 to 30, regular $1 corsets for 55c.

**Waists**— women's $2 and $3 French flannel, albatross or nun's veiling waists, full pleated front, in new broad shoulder effect, at only 1.00.

**1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY**

**Knee pants**— boys' regular 75c all wool heavy cheviot and cassimere knee pants, some with double cloth seat and knee, for only 35c.

**Handkerchiefs**— Women's and children's pure linen handkerchiefs, with dainty embroidered initials at 5c. Ironing wax with handle, worth 15c, in notion dept., at 5c dozen. Fleisher's Shetland floss, any color, also white and black, skein, 5c.

**Nightshirts**— men's nightshirts, made of heavy domet flannel, in absolutely fast colors, warm and comfortable, 69c values at 39c.

**Glassware**— crystal glass vinegar or oil cruets, flower vases, syrup jugs and salad bowls, worth up to 25c, go at each, 9c.

**Rugs**— regular $5 axminster and wilton velvet rugs, size 36x72 in., all new and fresh rugs, for this hour only 2.95.

**Shoes**— women's vici kid lace shoes, matt kid tops and Cuban heels, regular price $3, reduced to pair, 1.48.

**Bed spreads**— 500 fine bed spreads, pink and blue satin spreads, 9-4 size crochet spreads for single beds, 11-4 size crochet spreads, hemmed and fringed, sample lot of $2 and $2.50 spreads for 98c.

**Veils**— a lot of 59c hemstitched polka dot and Chantilly pattern chiffon veils, 39c. 40 in. wide extra quality chiffon, all colors, worth 59c, at 39c. Dress makers' jersey covered bust forms, 39c.

**Clothes wringers**— Celebrated "Challenge" clothes wringers, good roll, 1.19. Gas torcher with box of 30 lighters, 10c. Full size euchre tables, with folding legs, 45c. (Basement.)

**Fur scarfs**— new short and long styles, made of marten, beaver and fox, with brush on each end, scarfs that will sell later on for $3.50, this hour only 1.00.

**Underskirts**— women's short or long flannelette underskirts, in light or dark colors, yoke band, this hour, 25c.

**Camera supplies**— 4x5 R. O. dry plates, dozen, 33c. No 1 flash cartridges, 10c. No. 2 at 15c. Dark room lamps, 33c. Card mounts, 3½ x3½ and smaller, dozen 4c.

**2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY**

**Shoes**— misses' and children's kid and box calf lace shoes, low and spring heels, would be good value for $1.50, at pair, 1.00.

**Veiling**— extra quality chiffon veiling, black, white, blue, brown, gray and champagne, worth 25c, at yd., 19c. Pulley Windsor stock collars, made of pique, with silk Windsor tie attached, all colors, 19c.

**Umbrellas**— women's colored French silk umbrellas, with steel rods and best paragon frame, natural wood handles, have sold for $2.50, choice for 98c.

**Candies**— chocolate nougatines, made of nut meats, covered with high grade chocolate, regular price 25c, this hour, 20c pound. (1st floor.)

**Codfish**— new whole codfish, very finest, pound 11c. Shredded codfish, "Red Seal" brand, package, 4c. Extra fancy mackerel, 35c kind, 30c. New Holland herring, large and fat, dozen, 30c.

**Suits**— boys' fine Norfolk, double breasted and novelty suits, also handsome novelty overcoats and three-quarter length coats, sizes 3½ to 16, $5 values at only 3.33.

**Children's caps**— Children's latest fall and winter tam o'shanters and wide brim sailors, caps, etc., all styles and patterns, also all worsted toques, worth 75c and $1, at, each, 43c.

**Rugs**— All 9x12 ft. size $20 Roxbury brussels rugs for 16.75. Regular $14 pro-brussels rugs for 10.50. Regular $25 wilton velvet rugs, for 17.95.

**Suiting**— 54 in. wide wool melton cloth suiting in navy blue and black, THE suiting for fall and winter skirts, dresses and coat suits, regular 59c grade at yd., 29c. (Only one pattern to a customer.)

**Ruffled curtains**— Pure white ruffled swiss curtains, in choice striped, dotted and figured designs, the ideal curtains for kitchens and bedrooms, this hour the $1 curtains at, pair, 43c.

**Nut sets**— Including cracker and 6 picks, 23c. Silver plated table forks and spoons, Rogers make, each, 12½c. Silver plated nut bowls, gold lined, at 89c.

**3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY**

**Laces**— odd pieces and short lengths of 10 and 15c point de Paris, platt Val., Cluny and Chantilly laces; also fast edged nainsook and cambric embroideries, for only, yd., 7½c.

**Portieres**— regular $4 and $5 extra heavy reversible tapestry portieres, fringed top and bottom, in two toned and Oriental designs, go at only 2.39.

**Reading lamps**— Nickel plated reading lamps, central draught burner, complete with 10 inch dome shade and chimney, worth $1.50, at only 98c.

**Hosiery**— children's ribbed stockings, extra heavy fleeced lined, with double heels, toes and soles, extra spliced knee, for school wear—never sold for less than 25c, this hour, pair, 17c.

**Boys' suits**— boys' fine imported fancy worsted, blue serge and cheviot dress suits, also nobby topcoats, reefers and winter overcoats, worth $6.50 and $7.50—at only 4.25.

**Shoes**— children's vici kid lace shoes, spring heels, real value 90c, this hour priced 65c.

**Candies**— assorted buttercups, with cocoanut, jelly and nut fillings—regular 20c candies, this hour—pound, 20c. (1st floor.)

**Roasting pans**— The double self-basting kind, at 37c. Cast iron smoothing irons, with highly polished face, 19c, scouring soap, 10 bars, 25c. Dust brushes and whisk brooms at 7c.

**Albatross**— 38-in. wide strictly pure wool French albatross, all new fall shades for street, evening and reception wear, 50c quality, this hour only, yd., 33c.

**Soap**— odds and ends of white soap, old sensoned, worth 5c to 8c, at, per cake, 2½c. Holman's soap chips, best borax, 10c packages, 8c. (Grocery dept.)

**Velvets**— crush costume velvets in the scarce shades of brown, blue, black, green, burnt orange, etc., usually sold at 75c and $1, now only, yd., 52½c.

**Shirtwaists**— several styles of women's silk shirtwaists, of chiffon taffeta, pean de soie and fancy silk, in all the Fall shades including black and white; plain pleated front or with shirring — regular price $6.50 and $7.50, this hour 3.49.

**4 TO 5 P. M. TODAY.**

**Misses' coats**— Lot of misses' stylish coats, made of all wool cheviots, also lot of girls' military coats, sizes 8 to 18, all $5 values, this hour for 2.90.

**Sherbet sets**— crystal glass sherbet sets, of large footed bowl, six cups to match and six silvered hooks, worth $2.25, at, per set, 1.25.

**Boys' pants**— boys' extra fine heavy cheviot and cassimere dress pants, made of good materials, sizes 2½ to 16, worth $1, for only 55c.

**Shoes**— men's patent leather and vici kid lace shoes, light and heavy soles, former price $2.50, this hour, pair, 1.80.

**Linens**— hemstitched scarfs, center pieces and lunch cloths; also Mexican drawn work doylies, all regular 50c linens, go at, each, 35c.

**Handkerchiefs**— men's plain white and fancy border handkerchiefs, odd size, all hemstitched, worth 12½c, reduced for this hour to only 4c.

**Hams**— "Gold Band" or Swift's "Premium" brands, 18c to 20c quality, at pound, 12½c. Squire's finest boneless sugar cured bacon, lean, fat or medium, pound, 15c.

**Door mats**— cocoa door mats, 50c size at 35c. Non-breakable rubber door mats, guaranteed, $1.50 mats for only 98c.

**Suiting**— strictly all wool plaid suiting, in neat broken plaids; also fancy checked camel's hair faced suiting, in all colors, 50c grade, at, yd., 25c.

**Extension rods**— Heavy brass extension rods, 30 to 54 in. extension, 10c value at 5c. 24 to 44 in. extension rods, 5c value 2c. 4 to 7 in. extension brackets, worth 10c, at, pair, 5c. (Drapery dept.)

**Football supplies**— White canvas football pants, 19c. Shin guards at 19c. Nose guards at 45c. All wool jerseys at 35c. Black rubber footballs at 25c.

**Bootees**— babies' hand knitted bootees, and all wool ribbed bands, all colors, this hour only 5c.

MR. DOOLEY
By FINLEY PETER DUNNE
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The Genial Idiot
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# FOOTBALL TEAMS PREPARE FOR HARD BATTLES

## W. & J. WILL HAVE ARMY OF ROOTERS

State Thinking of Bringing Cadet Band for Game on Saturday.

GREAT INTEREST IN GAME

If rooting counts for anything, W. and J. will have the advantage against State in the football game at Exposition park Saturday. At a meeting of the Wash.-Jeff. students it was decided to engage either a brass band or a drum corps to accompany the rooters to this city. The students will march down Fifth avenue and across the Sixth street bridge. They will sit together at the game and indulge in concerted cheering for their team. They will outnumber the State crowd. The action of the W. & J. students may cause change in State's plans. Manager Smith may succeed in inducing the faculty at State to permit the famous cadet band to accompany the team to this city. The cadets last Thanksgiving day managed to drown the noise of the small army of W. & J. shouters. Manager Smith of W. & J. telephoned from Washington, Pa., last night that the demand for reserved seats was heavy. One Washington man purchased grandstand tickets for a party of twenty. W. & J. men were asking for admission tickets, but it was decided that the only tickets to be sold in advance will be the grandstand and box coupons. The general admission tickets will be sold only at the park Saturday. Holders of admission tickets will be admitted through the bleacher entrances. Holders of coupon tickets will be admitted through the grandstand entrances. Twelve ushers have been chosen for the grandstand and boxes.

W. U. P. was busy yesterday preparing for the Geneva game. The Beaver valley herd a rumor yesterday that some of the old Geneva boys now playing with Wup may not take part in the game, and there is a demand from Geneva that W. U. P. should bar all its stars. Geneva thinks it has a chance to win and does not want to give W. U. P. an excuse, and while some of the members of the 1903 team are now with W. U. P., it believes that its new team can compete successfully with its old rivals. Geneva played W. & J. last year and held them to a scoreless tie, though the score was given as 6 to 0 in favor of W. & J. The game ended in a wrangle. Captain Joe Thompson does not want to take any chances Saturday and will satisfy the Beaver valley by putting his best team against Geneva. The students are becoming enthusiastic over the game.

Captain Thompson said last night that while a contract has not been signed with California Normal for a game at Exposition park on October 29, the deal will be closed this week. The students at W. U. P. did not take kindly to the idea of a Saturday game with Shadyside, and the impression got abroad that W. U. P. was side-stepping California because it played W. & J. to a standstill last Saturday. W. & J. made the excuse that California loaded up for the game.

A Washington special last night said: Many old football stars are returning to assist in coaching the Washington and Jefferson team for the game next Saturday with State. On the field this afternoon in addition to Coach Seaman were Dr. O. Challinor of Pittsburgh, an old guard; "Kansas" Reed of Pittsburgh, a former halfback; Blaine Aiken of Washington, a quarterback, and John Botsford, a former Dartmouth halfback. The practice tonight was a gruelling one. Hoping to strengthen the defense work the leather was given to the scrubs, who made but little headway. Then the varsity was given the oval. They rushed it quickly down the field for a touchdown, the only score of the game. The defensive work of the team could hardly be surpassed. This was the last hard practice of the week. Tomorrow evening the varsity will have a signal and formation practice and then rest until the game Saturday morning. More than 600 seats, which were placed on sale here this morning, were quickly sold. The college students have organized a systematic rooting squad with three cheer leaders, and will take a brass band and drum corps to Pittsburgh on the special train in the morning.

## YALE TO ATTEMPT DIFFERENT PLAYS

Princeton Students, 900 Strong, Cheer Tigers at Practice. Harvard's Hard Work.

NAVY COACHES UNSETTLED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 20.—Yale will attempt a more varied style of game against West Point next Saturday than is customary with Yale, if today's practice work is indicative. The quarterback kick was worked for a long time by Rockwell, Hoyt, S. Morse and P. Morse in the back field, Roraback acting as snapper back. So formidable a rival is West Point regarded that the coaches have made pause long enough in their policy of slowly developing the team as a whole to work in the specialties of the kicking department.

If forced to vary from the line-bucking game next Saturday, therefore, the Yale eleven will have had some practice in placement kicking and the guard-around trick. After a long half of secret practice today the varsity scored a touchdown on the scrubs, but when the ball was given to the scrubs a moment later on the 25-yard line the varsity forwards were safely held back and Werbacker dropped a field goal for the scrubs. The last half of practice was ragged and marred by fumbling.

### Princeton.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—By reason of the precariousness of the present football situation the sons of old Nassau turned out 900 strong at today's practice to cheer on the team and offset any possible discouragement which the season's reverses may have produced in the spirit of the men. Spurred on by the echoing crash of the Tiger locomotive the team did hard and conscientious work. But not all the spirit they could muster was able in any very great degree to correct the many faults of their play. Through two whirlwind halves of 20 minutes each the teams zigzagged briskly up and down the field, but in the course of the whole struggle against a very weak scrub, the first team managed to score but one touchdown. Some slight improvement in the varsity defense was noticeable, and they managed to hold their ground better than usual. But considering the spirit of the play and its length, the results are looked on as anything but encouraging.

### Harvard.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Harvard football practice today was the longest and hardest of the season. The men showed more fight and life and the results were better, but the situation as regards the regular players remains unchanged, except that three more men joined the cripple squad today. Meier got a bad kick in the knee in the West Point game and it has stiffened up so badly that he had to keep out of work today. He will probably be in shape for the game with the Indians Saturday. Pope, one of the best ends on the second team, wrenched his knee yesterday and has now water on it. Paul, who has been playing at right tackle, also has a bad knee. Walter Randall, varsity baseball captain, and for three years a sub-halfback, was tried at left end on the varsity today, and he did some fast work on the offensive.

### Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The navy coaches are now very unsettled as to the back field. Not only did Douglass, the best back, break his leg in the Princeton game last Saturday, but it developed today through the use of the X-ray that Root, another back, had sustained a fracture of the small bone of the leg above the ankle. Neither will play during the present season. The additions to the coaching squad this week are Ensigns Byron A. Long and Roger Williams, formerly of navy teams, and "Burr" Chamberlain of Yale.

## HIGH SCHOOL AND KISKI AGREE UPON OFFICIALS

Capt. Gordon Announces His Line-Up. Shadyside Comes Home—East Is Injured.

Williams Church of Princeton and McDivitt of Wash-Jeff, were last night agreed upon as officials for the Pittsburgh High school-Kiskiminetas Springs school game next Monday at Friendship park. Church will be the referee and McDivitt the umpire.

High school and Kiski representatives conferred last evening, and it did not take them long to choose the officials. This game will be the first to decide the interscholastic championship. Both have strong teams and the interest in the approaching struggle is as keen as last year, when High school tied Kiski at Friendship park, the score being 5 to 5.

Pittsburgh High school will play the Washington High school this afternoon at Friendship park. Washington has scored a victory over East Liberty academy and is confident of beating the Pittsburgh eleven. Coach Hough will send in two teams against Washington. The regular players will be used as little as possible today, as Hough wishes to have them in shape for Kiski Monday. Dowling, who has been on the hospital list with a wrenched shoulder, will resume his position this afternoon at tackle. Van Gorder, the little one, will not be at end today and Ament will be tried. Van Gorder is ill.

Pittsburgh will begin the game thusly: Kerner, left end; Dowling, left tackle; Wood, left guard; Uptegraf, center; Leff, right guard; W. Johns (captain), right tackle; Ament, Right end; Dave Johns, quarterback; Peifer, left halfback; Worrell, right halfback; McAllister, fullback. Turner and Price will be tried out today. Frank "Midget" Spuhler, right end last year, will be High school's line man in the Kiski game.

### Kiski.

Captain Harry Gordon of Kiski last night gave out the lineup of his team for the Pittsburgh High school game as follows: Davies, left end; Pfeifer, left tackle; Urling, left guard; E. Corbett, center; Irons, right guard; Kumler, right tackle; Wagner, right end; Hasley, quarterback; Gordon or Larimer, left halfback; McGregor, right halfback; McCreight, fullback. Captain Gordon has not fully recovered from the effects of a recent hard practice in which he sustained a severe muscle bruise on his right leg. In the event of his not being able to play Larimer, who has played on a high school eleven in the east, will be at his position.

### Shadyside Academy.

The Shadyside players returned home yesterday morning from Lawrenceville. Captain Arch Williams and Dick Mueller remained over in Princeton for the rest of the week. Not one player showed the effects of the hard game with Lawrenceville and all were in good spirits. Shadyside, although greatly outweighed, fought the eastern cracks hard all the way.

### W. U. P.

Walter East, end, did not take part in practice yesterday at Exposition park on account of a bad knee which threatens to keep him out of the game for some time. He tore a cartilege in his knee in practice the other day. Thompson, Edgar and Ritchey practiced kicking goals yesterday. Schmidt spent some time in kicking from placement. The W. U. P. rooters will take a band to Beaver Falls Saturday for the game with Geneva.

## SEES PARKER VICTORY.

Brooklyn Eagle Says Democratic Managers Have Figured Out a Safe Majority.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Brooklyn Eagle, Democratic, this afternoon prints what it says that the Democratic managers have been keeping secret, their estimates, but that the Eagle learns that 256 electoral votes are expected for Parker and Davis. The list counted on by the Democrats is as follows:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| New Jersey | 12 | Montana | 3 |
| New York | 39 | Colorado | 5 |
| Connecticut | 7 | Idaho | 3 |
| Delaware | 3 | Wyoming | 3 |
| Maryland | 8 | | |
| West Virginia | 7 | Total | 105 |

One hundred and fifty-one votes from the southern states are conceded by the Republicans to Parker. Add these to the 105 and the result is 256, a majority of 17 for Parker in the college.

These are the real figures of the close-mouthed Democratic managers and this publication will doubtless force them to the admission of that which they have guarded so jealously.

The above is presented, not as a result of the Eagle's investigation, but as a statement of the conviction of the Democratic managers, which, under their policy of still hunt, silence and mystery, they have sedulously guarded from public knowledge.

### Old Rivals Meet Today.

The Allegheny Prep. team will play the Allegheny High school eleven at the Colosseum this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Last season these teams broke even and the Preps. have won one game from their rival this year, 11 to 0. Line-up:

| Allegheny Prep. | | Allegheny High. |
|---|---|---|
| Worcester | L. E. | Sutton |
| Ed. Murphy | L. T. | McGinness |
| Fahnestock | L. G. | Aughenbaugh |
| Melhuish | C. | Jackson |
| Lyon | R. G. | Campbell-Allen |
| Shilton | R. T. | Gray |
| Em Murphy | R. E. | Buka |
| Hagan-Sloan | Q. B. | Shaff |
| Tustin | L. H. | Dean |
| Reiter | R. H. | McNair |
| Fife | F. B. | Chatham |

Referee—Briney.

### East End Lyceum Gets Players.

Fred Reibel of Indianapolis reported last evening to the East End Lyceum. His weight is 224 pounds and he has played with Wisconsin. Besso, the big guard of the old East End A. A., has also reported.

## AMONG THE PASSERS.

The Sycamores want games. Address E. A. Whitesides, 506 Coleman street, Allegheny.

The Olympia A. A. of Manchester will meet this evening at its club rooms. The following players are requested to be present: Meisel, Graham, Hauff, Klein, McMurty, Robertson and Cornelius.

The McCormick basketball team of Allegheny will play the Hilldales of Beltzhoover next Wednesday. All 12 to 13-year-old teams having balls address T. C. Flanigan, Allegheny postoffice.

The Watson Midgets, who last year won 20 games and lost two, challenge all strong 12 to 13-year-old teams. Address David A. Weaver, care Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, Preble avenue, Allegheny.

The Alameda team of the South Side would like to hear from all 17-year-old teams. "Biz" Helt has been elected captain. Practice is held every Tuesday evening at B. A. C. hall. For games address Elmer A. Barchfeld, 106 South Eighteenth street, city.

## JAMAICA TRACK RECORD WAS BROKEN BY CANTEEN

Knocked One Second Off the Mile and Seventy Yard Mark—Merry Lark Won Feature Event.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Merry Lark, favorite, at 11 to 5, won the Hempstead selling stakes, six furlongs, at Jamaica today. D'Arkle made the running to the stretch, where Hildebrand brought Merry Lark through on the rail and won, driving by a head from Glen Echo. Bank was third, two lengths away.

Canteen in winning the third race broke the track record for one mile and 70 yards by making the distance in 1:43 3-5, which is one second faster than the previous time. Two favorites won. Jockey McCafferty was suspended for two days for running at the barrier. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Waterlight, 112, O'Neil, 8 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; Handzarra, 100, Crimmins, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, second; Austin Allen, 112, Odom, 30 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time—1:06 4-5.

Second race, selling, six furlongs—Young Henry III., Odom, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Juvenal, Maxim, 105, Travers, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, second; Pickle, 107, Hildebrand, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time—1:14.

Third race, one mile and 70 yards—Canteen, 108, W. Davis, 3 to 1 and 3 to 5, won; Ascension, 110, Hildebrand, 9 to 10 and 1 to 3, second; Irish Witch, 100, Crimmins, 50 to 1 and 12 to 1, third. Time—1:43 3-5.

Fourth race, the Hempstead, six furlongs—Merry Lark, 105, Hildebrand, 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, won; Glen Echo, 103, Crimmins, 8 to 1 and even, second; Bank, 97, Travers, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5, third. Time—1:14.

Fifth race, selling, mile and a sixteenth—Garnish, 97, W. Davy, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Champiain, 97, Travers, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Namtor, 108, Redfern, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time—1:49 3-5.

Sixth race, mile and a furlong—Stolen Moments, 115, W. Davis, 9 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Lord Baige, 114, Wonderly, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Bartender, 110, Crimmins, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time—1:53 4-5.

## AMERICAN GOLFERS WON.

The Canadian Team Headed by Miss Dod Was Beaten.

TORONTO, ONT., Oct. 20.—The United States players scored an easy victory in the International Golf match with Canada at the Lambton club links today. The score was 33 to 5. All the visiting players were up with the exception of Miss Thomas, whom Mrs. Bolte defeated by five. The scores:

United States: Miss Bishop 2; Miss M. Curtis, 4; Miss H. Curtis, 4; Miss Griscom, 1; Miss Wells, 11; Miss Lockwood, 3; Miss Ayres, 6; Miss Bittle, 3; Miss Thomas, 0. Total, 33.

Canada: Miss Dod, 0; Miss Harvey, 0; Miss Thompson, 0; Miss Dick, 0; Miss Green, 0; Miss Phephoe, 0; Miss Davidson, 0; Mrs. Dick, 0; Mrs. Bolte, 5. Total, 5.

Miss Dick of Toronto won the driving competition with a total of 483 yards in three drives. Miss M. Curtis was fifth with 328 yards. In the putting competition Miss Bishop the United States champion, was first with 10 points.

### Connellsville Is Strengthened.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Connellsville eleven will go to Scottdale with a strong line-up Saturday. Manny Gemas and Lawrence Francis, fullback and right end, are back from Bethany. The team has also been strengthened by the addition of "Lefty" Cure, the guard of the West Virginia university. The managers of the two teams have posted $25 each.

### Rube Waddell Will Pitch.

APOLLO, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Apollo Elks and Freeport baseball teams will play Saturday on the Vandergrift grounds for the championship of the Kiski valley. Each team has won a game. Rube Waddell will pitch for Freeport while Malarkey or Whitesell will twirl for Apollo.

**The Only Successful Annual Exposition in the United States closes its doors tomorrow night with the great Damrosch Orchestra in superb concerts.**

## GRACE BOND WINS THE FEATURE RACE

Driver McCarthy Thrown to the Ground and Sustains Serious Injuries.

HAS BROKEN COLLAR BONE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MEMPHIS, Oct. 20.—Grace Bond, the Lexington Futurity winner, easily defeated a field of five three-year-old trotters in straight heats for the Kentucky Stock Farm at the driving park this afternoon. Grace Bond was always favorite and led Alta Axworthy, which was well played, throughout the race.

Sphinx S. won the concluding heat of the 2:07 pace, unfinished from yesterday. Miss Jeannette outclassed her field in the 2:30 trot, and won eased up in straight heats.

The best betting race of the day was that for 2:12 pacers. Tillie Sasi, favorite, won handily from Lulu May. In this event Riley McKeen, driven by "Knapsack" McCarthy, fell on the back stretch, throwing the driver violently to the ground. McCarthy was unconscious for half an hour, and was removed to a hospital, where he is suffering from a broken collar bone and other serious injuries.

Tomorrow Dan Patch, the champion pacer, will go an exhibition mile. Summaries:

2:07 pace, $1,000, two in three, unfinished from yesterday:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sphinx S., ch. g., by Sphinx-Winnie S., Spear | 6 | 2 | 1 1 |
| King Direct, blk. h. Geers | 2 | 1 | 2 3 |
| Bell Mc, b. m., Laird | 1 | 3 | 3 2 |
| Dry Monopole, br. h., Curry | 3 | 4 | 5 ro |
| Oregon Maid, b. m., Stetson | 5 | 5 | 4 ro |
| Don N., ro. g., Valentine | 4 | 6 | dr |

Time, 2:04¾, 2:05½, 2:07¼, 2:05¼.

2:06 pace, to wagon, amateur drivers, two in three, unfinished from yesterday:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Angus Pointer, b. g., by Sidney Pointer | | | |
| Mr. Billings | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Morning Star, b. g., Mr. Devereux | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Baron Grattan, b. g., Mr. Jones | 1 | 2 | dr |

Time, 2:04¾, 2:04½, 2:06¾.

2:30 trot, purse $1,000, two in three:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Miss Jeannette, blk. m., by Acolyte-dam by Electric Bicker | 1 | 1 | |
| Electric Maiden, b. m., Dunbar | 2 | 2 | |
| Al Smith, br. h., Dunn | 3 | 3 | |

Time, 2:23¼, 2:18¾.

Kentucky Stock Farm stake, $7,500, 3-year-old trotters, two in three:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grace Bond, b. f., by The Bondsman-Grace Boyd, Andrews | 1 | 1 | |
| Alta Axworthy, ch. f., Thomas | 2 | 2 | |
| Alice Edgar, br. f., Dodge | 3 | 4 | |
| Totsie, b. f., Titer | 5 | 3 | |
| Glory Quayle, gr. f., Geers | 4 | 5 | |

Time, 2:07¼, 2:10.

2:12 pace, purse $1,000, two in three.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tillie Sasi, b. m., by Billy Wilkes-Emma Louise, Wylie | 1 | 1 | |
| Lulu May, blk. m., Carter and Benyon | 2 | 2 | |
| Three Feeds for One Cent, Hersey | 3 | 3 | |
| Little Sphinx, b. m., Curry | 4 | 4 | |
| Dan S., ro. g., Jones | 5 | ds | |
| Miss Georgia, br. m., Hayes | 6 | ds | |
| Gayety, b. m., Hoffman | 7 | ds | |
| Delphia, b. m., McDavitt | ds | | |
| Riley McKeen, b. h., McCarthy | fell | | |

Time, 2:09¼, 2:09½.

2:12 trot to wagon, amateur drivers, two in three—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hive, b. m., by Highwood (Mr. Jones) | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Imogene, ch.m., by Elyria (Mr. Billings) | 1 | 2 | 2 |

Time—2:13½, 2:21, 2:12¾.

### Training for Benny Yanger.

Jack McClelland yesterday started training for his coming fight with Benny Yanger of Chicago at St. Louis on November 3. Yanger will meet Maurice Sayers at Milwaukee tonight in six rounds and then he will go to St. Louis. Manager Mason last night wired to Ben Benton at Boston that he would take a fight with Jimmy Briggs for McClelland after the scrap with Yanger.

## REINHART BEATS PROAT IN INTERESTING MATCH

Princeton Man Wins from Harvard Opponent, 1 Up on Home Greens.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HAMILTON, MASS., Oct. 20.—Play in the inter-collegiate golf tournament for the individual championship began today. It was raining when the 24 players started for the qualifying round of 18 holes. Egan of Harvard had the best card of the day, his score of 80 beating bogey by two. W. T. West of Princeton pressed the Harvard expert closely, handing in a card of 81.

The first round of match play in the afternoon left five Harvard, three Princeton players and one from Yale still in the running. The best match of the afternoon was between Frank O. Reinhart of Princeton and P. A. Proal of Harvard, which the former won on the home green, 1 up. The results were as follows:

W. P. Egan (Harvard) defeated D. L. Laid (Princeton) 3 up and 1 to play.

A. L. White (Harvard) defeated W. B. Cockran (Princeton) 2 up.

M. McBurney (Harvard) defeated F. M. Oliphant (Princeton) 3 up 1 to play.

R. Abbott (Yale) defeated J. W. Watson, Jr., (University of Pennsylvania) 6 up, 4 to play.

H. C. Egan (Harvard) defeated F. Russell (Princeton) 5 up, 4 to play.

Fay Ingalis (Harvard) defeated DeF. Willard (University of Pennsylvania) 4 up, 2 to play.

R. O. Reinhart (Princeton) defeated P. A. Proat (Harvard) 1 up.

W. T. West (Princeton) defeated W. P. Topping (University of Pennsylvania) 4 up, 2 to play.

### Matthewson Pitches No-Hit Game.

SCRANTON, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The New York Nationals, with Matthewson pitching, shut out a local picked team today without a hit. The O'Neill brothers of the National league performed for the locals. Score:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 1 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 | 5 | 6 | 0 |
| Scranton | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |

Batteries—Matthewson and Warner; M. O'Neill and J. O'Neill.

### One Point Wins for Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Polka Dots, the champion junior eleven of Westmoreland county, played their first game with the Mt. Pleasant High school eleven. Brown's goal from a touchdown won the game. The line-up:

| Polka Dots—6. | | Mt. Pleasant—5. |
|---|---|---|
| Hoffer | L. E. | Kelley |
| Jones | L. T. | Nelson |
| Steinman | L. G. | McNaughton |
| Sickenberger | C. | Lane |
| J. McElwee | R. G. | Swartz |
| James McElwee | R. T. | Bowman |
| Spihler | R. E. | Harvey |
| Brown | Q. B. | Braddock |
| Findlay | R. H. | Gibbs |
| Bowman | L. H. | Hood |
| Workman | F. B. | Rossamyrs |

Touchdowns—Gibbs, Findlay. Goal from touchdown—Brown. Referee—Thomas. Umpire—Church. Time—20-minute halves. Linesman—J. C. Guy, Pittsburgh.

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## AMATEUR FOOTBALL GOSSIP.

The Montgomery A. C. will play the Boquet A. C. on Saturday.

The manager of the Braddock team is to call up The Gazette tonight.

The Crescent second team of East End plays Darragh A. C. Saturday.

The Westlake A. C. will play the Pitcairn A. C. on the Denny grounds Saturday.

Coaches Burton and Sippt request Dallas players to report for practice tonight.

The manager of the Westinghouse Juniors wants his players out for practice this evening.

The Lincoln A. C. of East End will play the Lowell third team on Lincoln grounds Saturday.

The Browns have Saturday open for a 135-pound team. 'Phone 194 Cedar and ask for Daniels.

The Meadows, a 75-pound team, have Saturday open. Address J. Davis, 15 Carver street, East End.

The Maplewood A. C., a good 85-pound team, has Saturday open. Call 1953 Court and ask for Kinley.

The Gruvers of Carnegie would like to hear from some good team for Saturday. Address N. Jay Kuntz, Carnegie.

The La Belles want a game for Saturday with any 75 to 90-pound team. Call 2901-C, Chester, on P. & A. 'phone.

The Sycamores want a game for Saturday on the Phipps playground. Leo J. Loughren, 73 Fidelity building, Pittsburgh.

The Meadows challenge all good 75-pound teams for Saturday. Address John Haley, 217 St. Andrew street, East End.

The Lawrenceville second team, a 65-pound team, is without a game for Saturday. Call 437 Court and ask for D. B. Webb.

The Diamond A. C. defies 60-pound teams for Saturday at home. Address Charlie Thomas, 55 Fifteenth street, South Side, city.

Coughlin A. C. wants a game with some good 55-pound team for Saturday. Call 259 Grant at noon today and ask for O'Brien.

The Lafayettes are without a game for Saturday afternoon. Any 50-pound team address John Jamison, Lafayette avenue, Allegheny.

The Pequot 75-pound team has Saturday open for games on Pequot grounds. Telephone 59 Union station and ask for Gillespie.

The Monterey A. A. is without a game for Saturday. Any first-class team in the 75-pound class call 830 Court and ask for Clinton.

North Homestead A. C. is without a game for Saturday. Any 80 to 90-pound team address Harry Lotz, 6069 McClure street, Swissvale.

The Colonial Indians, a 35 to 40-pound team, is without a game for Saturday. Call J. E. Orgill, 1184 Court and ask for vouching department.

The Westinghouse Juniors would like to hear from all 35 to 40-pound teams. Address Harvey Harsley, 6963 Frankstown avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Avalon Tigers desire to hear from some good 90-pound team for Saturday. Address R. S. Beggs, care American Bridge Company, Ambridge.

The Pastime Reserves will practice this evening at Central park. Good 75-pound teams can secure games by addressing William J. McAllister, 2440 Bedford avenue, city.

The Brightons play the Crescents of Wilkinsburg tomorrow at Brighton park. The Brightons have October 29 open. Address M. Macpherson, 24 Brighton place, Allegheny.

The Superior A. A. of Allegheny guarantee full expenses to any 75-85-pound team for Saturday. Call Bell 401-R, Brady, between 5:30 and 6 p. m. any evening and ask for Meals.

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The Hamilton A. C. of Homewood has changed its name to the Dallas Guards and are out for the 50-pound championship. Address John Powell, 6919 Hamilton avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Crescent A. C. of the East End will release all its players that do not appear for practice this evening in full uniforms. The Rose Enders Saturday will play the Brushton A. C. on the Beam field.

The Sterling A. C. of Wilkinsburg will play all Swissvale Saturday. Left Tackle Coombs and Fullback Freeman, who have been out of the game for a couple of weeks, will be found at their old positions Saturday.

**Let Spear feather your nest.**

## OFFICIAL GIVES GROVE CITY GAME OVER ALLEGHENY

GROVE CITY, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The football game between Grove City and Allegheny college at Meadville yesterday ended in a squabble, the referee forfeiting it to Grove City, 6 to 0. Each team had scored a touchdown and goal during the first half, and in the second half, after a few minutes' play, the referee penalized Allegheny, but it refused to accept the penalty. After a dispute the referee ordered the game to proceed and upon Allegheny refusing to continue play, awarded the game to Grove City. Indignation is felt here over Allegheny's action, especially as the locals were compelled to return home without receiving their expenses.

## FIGHT WILL TAKE PLACE.

Permit Granted for Britt and Gans to Meet—Champion Makes a Request.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Shasta Athletic club has obtained its permit for the Jimmy Britt-Joe Gans fight on October 31 by action of the board of supervisors, and all talk that the big contest will not come off as arranged is buried by the public demand for the exhibition.

The permit for the "Young Corbett"-"Battling" Nelson battle has not been applied for yet. Jimmy Britt went into camp in Croll's gardens, Alemeda, last Monday, and began training for the fight. He took with him Frank Rafael, the well-known conditioner and "trial horse."

Joe Gans is getting down to hard work at San Rafael. "If Britt should defeat me, there is just one request I shall make of him," said Gans today. "He has lowered the color bar to box me. I trust he will allow it to remain down and not object to box any young colored man who may come to the front. If the title becomes Britt's he should keep in mind that he won it from a colored pugilist, and that it will be only fair for him to allow a negro to try and capture what a negro has lost."

## PITTSBURGH BOY IS INJURED ON FIELD AT MERCERSBURG

CHAMBERSBURG, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Lawrence Simpson of Pittsburgh, a student at Mercersburg academy, was dangerously hurt at football practice yesterday, when he sustained a blow on the head. Young Simpson partially recovered and sat on the bleachers. In a little while he asked to be taken to his room, where he lapsed into unconsciousness. Dr. Cushing of the Johns Hopkins hospital trephined the skull and removed a blood clot. It is believed Simpson will recover, although he is in a serious condition.

Simpson is a former Pittsburgh High school athlete. He captained the High school football eleven two years ago, playing halfback, and he also was captain of the field and track teams. He won points for High school in the interscholastic meets, being a strong distance runner.

### Secret Practice for California.

CALIFORNIA, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The members of the Normal team are gratified to learn that the game with W. U. P. at Pittsburgh is still on the Normal schedule. The team has been put through heavy practice all week, not so much for the game with Waynesburg tomorrow, as for the one with W. U. P. a week from Saturday. Secret practice, heretofore unknown on the local field, will be inaugurated early in the week and several new plays will be tried.

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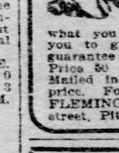

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# AID PLEDGED TO SECURE REFORMS

## Women's Clubs to Fight for Merit System and Better Child Labor Laws.

### ANNUAL MEETING AT AN END

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Anna B. Stratton, Staff Correspondent.

LANCASTER, PA., Oct. 20.—Rival political parties with their marching clubs and demonstrations and the women's clubs with their agitation of worthy reforms have stirred the historic old city of Lancaster this week. Tonight amid a tumult of excitement without caused by the rallying of Republican marching clubs on the streets about the Young Men's Christian association building and within by the forceful arguments for civil service reform, followed by a presentation of "Woman's Relation to Civic Affairs," the ninth annual meeting of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women was brought to a close. The closing session was given up to the presentation of two important topics, "The Merit System in Municipalities," which was the subject of a vigorously written paper by Mrs. Imogene B. Oakley of Philadelphia, who had previously read it before the General Federation of Women's Clubs in St. Louis, and "The Relation of Women to Civic Affairs," by Clinton Rogers Woodruff of Philadelphia. Mrs. Oakley's paper was a strong and intelligent plea for the adoption of the merit system in civil service. In his address Mr. Woodruff said the power women have to correct wrongs in civic affairs and secure needed reforms is scarcely realized.

The report of the committee on resolutions, Mrs. Stephen A. Thurlow, chairman, was presented and the federation pledged itself by the adoption of the report to the support of efforts to secure better child labor laws, to co-operation with the forestry commission in preserving forest lands, to support the work of the juvenile court and to urge the adoption of the merit system in civil service.

The round of generous hospitality which the people of Lancaster accorded the visiting club women was concluded tonight with a brilliant reception given by the Hamilton club in its club house in Orange street. Today the delegates will leave for home.

Mrs. Rudolph Blankenberg of Philadelphia, one of the American delegates to the international conference in Berlin last June, gave a resume of the work and incidents of that gathering. Mrs. Blankenberg spoke of the wide hospitality extended to the delegates and the gracious reception of the officers and Miss Susan B. Anthony at the palace of the empress of Germany.

The secretary of the state federation, Miss Mary Knox Garvin, was the working delegate sent to the seventh biennial of the general federation of women's clubs held in St. Louis last spring. She made her report this morning, enumerating the most conspicuous measures which will be followed in educational and legislative work during the next two years. Prominent among these will be the effort to secure a limitation of child labor and especially night work, and the movement to establish the merit system as the test for civil service. The report of the seventh annual conference of the eastern public educational association was presented by Mrs. J. Ludwig Koethen, Jr., of Pittsburgh. The principal topic discussed there was the relation of the parent to the school. Visiting physicians and nurses for the schools were strongly advocated.

Proceeding the morning session the delegates from the three districts elected two women to serve for each district on the nominating committee, which a year from now will present a ticket of nominees for the various offices of the federation. The results were as follows:

Western district—Delegates: Mrs. W. J. Askins of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Samuel S. Miller of Pittsburgh; alternates: Mrs. M. J. Haywang of Titusville and Miss Florence Huling of Oil City.

Central district—Delegates: Mrs. H. H. Gretz of Bloomsburg, Mrs. A. Nevis Pomeroy of Chambersburg. Alternates: Mrs. Paul E. Wirt of Bloomsburg and Miss Ida Kast of Mechanicsburg.

Eastern district—Delegates: Mrs. Charles N. Thorpe of Philadelphia, Mrs. J. W. B. Bausman of Lancaster. Alternates: Mrs. W. H. McIlree of West Chester and Mrs. C. F. Hunter of Phoenixville.

The entire afternoon was devoted to the discussion of forestry. A short address was made by Dr. Rothrock, former chief of the forestry commission, who resigned last spring. Dr. Rothrock thanked the women of Pennsylvania for the encouragement and support they have given to the work of the commission. He also claimed that without their help the consumptives' camp on Mt. Alto would have had to be abandoned. Miss Myra Lloyd Dock of the state forestry commission spoke on the work of the forestry commission of the state federation and especially on the work in the western part of the state under the direction of Miss Helen Grimes of Pittsburgh, whose aim at present is largely educative. Miss Dock was followed by Irwin C. Williams, deputy commissioner of forestry, who presented the legal side of the forestry question, pointing out many of the obstacles which are encountered. At the next session of the legislature an effort will be made to perfect the present laws relating to it.

During the afternoon Mrs. Enoch Rauh, president of the Columbian Council of Jewish Women of Pittsburgh, presented a resolution to the effect that an entire session be devoted to the hearing of three-minute reports from the clubs of the federation. It was defeated after very animated discussion.

### LAST DAY BUT ONE.

#### Close of the Exposition Season Is Approaching Rapidly.

A single day remains after this one and then the Pittsburgh exposition season of 1904 will be no more. During today Damrosch and his New York Symphony orchestra will give the regular concerts, four in number. In addition to the Wagner program prepared for the first concert tonight, Dan T. Beddoe, the popular Pittsburgh tenor, will be heard in a solo in the second concert.

The programs for this afternoon contain many musical gems. They are as follows:

2 P. M.

Overture, "Zampa".....Herold
Unfinished Symphony.....Schubert
Allegro. Andante con moto.
The Battle of Poltawa.....Tschaikowsky
Variations on the Austrian National Hymn.....Haydn
a Turkish March.....Beethoven
b Persian March.....Strauss

4 P. M.

Overture, "Rienzi".....Wagner
Larghetto for violins and violas.....Dvorak
Waltz.....Waldteufel
Intermezzo from Suite No. 2.....Moskowski
a Dance of the Sylphs
b Hakozy March.....Berlioz

### Lord Grey Sails December 1.

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# SOCIETY

MR. and Mrs. Thomas Alexander Mellon and their children returned to their home in Fifth avenue on Monday after an all-summer absence in Germany. They came into New York on the Bleucher last Sunday evening. Dr. and Mrs. William Wightman Blair of Woodland road, who had been their house guests during the greater part of the summer, preceded them home by a week. Mr. and Mrs. Haines Allen Machesney are also among the those returning to the city late this season. Mr. and Mrs. Machesney arrived in town only day before yesterday and are once again established at the Hotel Schenley. They spent the early portion of the summer in European travel, but for the past month have been visiting the various eastern resorts in this country. Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Nimick will close their home in Oakmont about the middle of next week and will then return to their winter home in Fifth avenue, East End. Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf have opened their home in Cliff street, having closed "Lelland," their summer place at Braeburn station, yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Clarke Reed, whose wedding took place early this month, will be home within the next few days. When last heard from they were in Quebec, Canada, their honeymoon trip having included many of the principal Canadian cities. Mrs. Reed will be remembered as Miss Florence Howe Brown. On their return she and her husband will be at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Brown, in Woodland road.

### Weddings of Yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Alice Dight, daughter of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dight, and the Rev. H. W. Whitmyer, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church of Sheraden, was solemnized at noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents in Mars, the Rev. Mr. Dight officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Maude Stewart of East Liverpool, O., and the best man was the Rev. W. J. Hogue of this city. Mrs. J. C. Dight of Pittsburgh played the wedding march. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Whitmyer, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Whitmyer and Mrs. C. L. Brown of this city were among the out-of-town guests. After a northern wedding trip the bridal couple will be at home in Sheraden.

Miss Mary J. G. Buchanan and Samuel E. McCandless were married last evening at the residence of the officiating clergyman, the Rev. George W. McDonald, pastor of the Seventh United Presbyterian church of Allegheny. The attendants were Mrs. Aurelia M. Metler and William J. Buchanan. The ceremony was followed by a supper at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Eliza Buchanan, in Hampton street, Allegheny, after which the bride and bridegroom left for a short trip. After November 1 they will be at home in Forty-fourth street, this city.

A very pretty home wedding took place in Jefferso ntownship yesterday, it being the marriage of Miss Myra Bickerton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bickerton, and J. Albert Herron of Finleyville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. P. Atwell of Crafton, assisted by the Rev. S. F. Brown of Finleyville. The flower bearers were Miss Mary Lawson and William Lawson, cousins of the bride, who were the only attendants.

### McFeely-Kuhn.

The wedding of Miss Anna Louise McFeeley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. McFeely, and William Stotler Kuhn took place at the home of the bride in Aiken avenue last evening. The Rev. Dr. Daniel Dorchester, Jr., pastor of Christ Methodist Episcopal church, performed the ceremony at 7:30 o'clock, the only attendants being a sister of the bride, Miss Clara Foster McFeely, and a brother of the bridegroom, Louis Ohliger Kuhn. At the bride's table were seated, in addition to the members of the party, Miss Helen Henderson and Miss Mary Graham of Uniontown, Miss Mary Gray, Miss Nell Kuhn, Edward Whitworth, Paul Stortevant, Paul Stevenson and Donald Stevenson. After their wedding trip Mr. Kuhn and his bride will be at home in the Sutherland apartments in Mellon street, receiving their friends after December 1. The bridegroom is in business in this city with his father, E. Stotler Kuhn.

### To Meet Mrs. Garner.

One of the smartest affairs of the early fall season was the reception given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams of Fifth avenue in honor of her daughter, Mrs. John L. Garner of Denver, Col., who is her house guest. Mrs. Garner received with the hostess and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Marcellin Adams. The assistants included Mrs. Edward Gregg, Mrs. George Berry, Mrs. David Aiken, Mrs. Frank Nicola, Mrs. W. Harry Brown, Mrs. James Hay Reed, Mrs. Robert Reineman, Mrs. Samuel Ammon, Mrs. John Liggett, Mrs. Henry Fulton, Mrs. George P. Palmalie, Mrs. J. J. Miller, Mrs. J. J. Vandegrift, Mrs. John Woodward, Miss Louise Richardson, Mrs. Samuel McKee, Mrs. William Woodwell, Miss Rachael Aiken, Mrs. George Hallman, Mrs. Joseph Hunter and Mrs. Orlando Metcalf. From 3 until 6 were the hours for the reception.

### Mrs. Hawdon's Plans.

Quite a number of little informal affairs have been given for Mrs. Frederick G. Hawdon since her arrival in the city, but as yet no large affairs have been planned. Mrs. Hawdon will remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Keil, in Fifth avenue, until November 6, when she expects to leave for Philadelphia. On the evening of the seventh she will give a recital in the Quaker City and on the next two evenings will be guest of honor at large receptions which her brother, Augustus Keil, and his wife will give at their home. Mrs. Hawdon will sing in concert in Washington, Pa., next Tuesday evening, and on the following Tuesday she will appear in Waynesburg. She expects to sail for her home in England on the Moltke on November 10.

### Sankey-Cook.

Miss Estella M. Sankey, daughter of Mrs. Martha J. Sankey of Wilkinsburg, was married last night to Dr. J. W. Cook of Alliance. The nuptials took place in the bride's home, Trenton avenue, and were attended by 200 guests from McKeesport, East End and Wilkinsburg. The Rev. F. P. Hummel of the South Eighteenth Street Methodist Protestant church, officiated. A. B. Long of McKeesport was best man, and the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Edith Sankey. The honeymoon will be spent in the west, after which Dr. and Mrs. Cook will return to McKeesport, where they will make their home.

### Luncheon for Miss Dalzell.

Miss Margaretta Wood of Ellsworth avenue will give a luncheon today in honor of Miss Martha Dalzell, whose marriage to William Booth Trahar will take place on Wednesday, November 2. Covers will be laid for eight, the guests including Miss Dalzell, Mrs. A. Marshall Bell, Miss Madeline Laughlin, Mrs. James Harold Childs, Miss Ruth L. Miller, Miss Jeannette Hawkins and Mrs. Arthur Coe, of Baltimore. Mrs. Coe is visiting Miss Dalzell and will be one of the out-of-town guests at the wedding. She was formerly Miss King of Tarrytown and Miss Dalzell was one of her bridesmaids.

### Wedding in Wilkinsburg.

The marriage of Miss Lillian A. Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Morris, to Harry Alexander Fharo of Asbury Park, N. J., took place last night at the home of the bride's parents in North avenue, Wilkinsburg. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. J. N. Mackey of South Avenue Methodist Episcopal church. The groomsman was W. B. Morris. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served, followed by the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Fharo to St. Louis. After visiting Canada and the Adirondacks they will return November 25 and live at 900 North avenue, Wilkinsburg.

### Mr. and Mrs. Alward Entertain.

A social event of the season in East Pittsburgh took place last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Alward in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. Alward. Dinner was served with covers for 40 guests. A congratulatory address was made by D. M. Cronin of Philadelphia and a number of telegrame from business friends in the east were read. Among the guests were D. M. Cronin, Julius Cohen, George Gillender, S. C. Thompson, Harry Ritter, Henry Bell, D. D. Stanley and G. O. Pearson. Mr. Alward is a well-known business man of this city.

### Will Award Prizes for Essays.

The Colonial Dames yesterday discussed plans for awarding prizes for essays to be written by the pupils of the High school, the subject of the essays to be decided upon later.

Mrs. Harry Sellers is chairman of the prize essay committee. The Dames met yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. T. Wallace, Maple Heights, and Miss Julia Morgan Harding gave a very interesting sketch of the life of Americus Vespuchus. A social hour followed. The next meeting will be held on the first Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. Harry D. Sellers in Wightman street, Squirrel Hill.

### Nuttall-Cummings.

Miss Eleanor Mae Nuttall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nuttall of Emsworth, was married last evening to Samuel Boyd Cummings of Allegheny. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. F. Ralston, pastor of the Clifton Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. U. S. Greves of Pittsburgh. The bride was attended by Mrs. Clarence Croft as matron of honor, and Miss Carrie Curry of Allegheny as bridesmaid. Edward Allison of Crafton and Charles Hall of Oakland attended the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Cummings will live in Crafton.

### Linen Shower for Bride-Elect.

Mrs. George Glass of Locust street, Allegheny, was hostess at a linen shower yesterday in honor of Miss May Lemmon, a bride-elect of the month. The hostess and Miss Lemmon received together under a large Japanese parasol. Mrs. Mary E. Lemmon, Mrs. L. W. Jenks, Miss Mayme Glass and Miss Minnie Ewer assisted Miss Glass. Miss Edna Milligan will give a dinner this evening for Miss Lemmon and Mrs. Lemmon will give the rehearsal dinner next Monday.

### Jackson-Williams.

SHARON, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The marriage of Miss Clara Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Williams of West State street, to S. L. Jackson of Anderson, Ind., took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, the Rev. Mr. Crissman of West Newton officiating. The bride was gowned in white silk. A reception and wedding dinner followed. The young couple left for their future home in Anderson, Ind.

### Will Wed Today.

The wedding of Miss Anna Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Hamilton of McPherson boulevard, and C. Willard Gibbs will take place quietly this evening at the bride's home. Mrs. Willard M. Gibbs of Wellington, O., mother of the prospective bridegroom, is the guest of her son, Ford Gibbs, in Sewickley, having come to Pittsburgh to attend the wedding. There will be no attendants this evening, but Miss Willa DuBarry will play the wedding march.

### Notes of Social Happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Enderlin of Private street, Mt. Oliver, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage next Wednesday evening at their home.

The announcement of the marriage of Miss Bessie Wilkins of 936 Franklin avenue, Wilkinsburg, to Gerald Hodge of Swissvale, was made yesterday. They were married October 6.

A quiet little home wedding on Wednesday evening was that of Miss Mary Elizabeth Speer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Z. Spear of Connellsville, and Bert J. Thomas, teller of the Second National bank of that place. The bridal couple will live in Connellsville.

Miss Hortense Faulta of Clifton avenue, Allegheny, gave a luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Ethelyrn Saltherthwaite, an October bride-elect. An aunt of the bride, Mrs. R. S. George of Bellevue, with whom she makes her home, will give the rehearsal dinner Wednesday, the wedding eve.

The local entertainment committee of the Iron and Steel institute will give a dinner in the Westinghouse Electric building in East Pittsburgh on the evening of November 2. A luncheon for the visiting ladies at the Country club will take place on November 2 and will be followed in the evening by a large reception at the Hotel Schenley.

A musicale will be held in the First United Presbyterian church of West Pittsburgh on Friday evening, October 28. Those who will give the program are Miss Virginia E. Wooster, Miss Millie E. Osborne, Mrs. Gertrude Gray, Louis E. Vierheller, David T. Moore, Miss Theira Follart, Miss Grace Burk, Robert S. Chess, Mrs. Doublin, Mrs. James M. Sloan and John Close.

### Architect Chosen for McKinley Memorial

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The McKinley Memorial association has selected Harold Magonigle to be architect of the memorial.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

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| Hervey C. Addison | Pittsburgh |
| Freda Struna | Pittsburgh |
| George W. Walker | Pittsburgh |
| Anna M. Miller | Oakdale |
| Wilson C. Dickson | Neville Island |
| Maud J. McClinton | Moon township |
| John L. Matthews | Pittsburgh |
| Lottie M. Davidson | Pittsburgh |
| Frank W. Scott | Braddock |
| Lydia A. Miller | Pittsburgh |
| Charles A. Morgan | Greensburg |
| Minnie B. Wolfe | Greensburg |
| John Pace | McKeesport |
| Alice Wilkes | McKees Rocks |
| August Sallach | Shaler township |
| Clara Meyer | Sharpsburg |
| Frank Williams | Pittsburgh |
| Emma E. Schools | Pittsburgh |
| David Grattan | Sewickley |
| Anna M. Gillooly | Sewickley |
| Ben Isaacs | Oakmont |
| Emma Penroy | Oakmont |
| Thomas L. Owens | Pittsburgh |
| Mary H. Davis | Lyman |
| Jesse M. Finch | Bellevue |
| Annie R. Fairfax | Bellevue |
| Thomas Reese | Chester, W. Va. |
| Sarah John | Elwood City |
| Fred Enders | Allegheny |
| Hulda Finger | McDonald |
| Patrick Casey | Pittsburgh |
| Jennie Tierney | Pittsburgh |
| George W. Way | Wilkinsburg |
| Anna M. Brown | Wilkinsburg |
| W. Frank Collins | Allegheny |
| Maude Mitchell | West Pittsburgh |
| Lewis Smith | Pittsburgh |
| Sophie Spachiciz | Pittsburgh |

# AUSPICIOUS OPENING OF THE MUSICAL SEASON

## Kneisel Quartet Appears at Carnegie Music Hall Before a Large Audience.

Pittsburgh's musical season of 1904-5 and the 38th season of the Art society of Pittsburgh opened simultaneously by the concert given by the Kneisel quartet of Boston at the Carnegie Music hall last evening. It was the 398th reception in the society's history and was in every way a most auspicious event, being largely attended and promising well for the interest that is to be shown in musical matters in this city this winter, and that, primarily and principally, means interest in the Pittsburgh orchestra, which is the child of the Art society.

At the last meeting of the directors of the Art society Manager George H. Wilson was given positive orders not to issue cards of admission for the society's event, save to members, yet last evening's audience, as stated, was of very good size, indicating clearly the healthy interest taken in this noteworthy and most deserving organization.

Among those present was Emil Paur, the new conductor of the Pittsburgh orchestra. He was there in company with Manager Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Luigi von Kunits, and during the intermission was presented to a number of the guarantors and supporters of the orchestra. He expressed himself as charmed with the cordiality of the formal reception thus far extended and expressed himself as delighted with the artistic merit of last night's concert and the appreciation of it that was shown by the audience. He found in all this indications that his coming to this city is to be made most congenial. Among those Mr. Paur met last night was Mr. James N. Park, through whom most of the negotiations that led to Mr. Paur coming to Pittsburgh were conducted during the time Mr. Park was in Vienna last spring.

The Kneisels are an annual treat and their rendering of the most notable of chamber music compositions seems yearly to grow more thoroughly artistic and certainly is more appreciated at each appearance. With each performer an ensemble as well as a solo artist—and how much that conveys—it could not be otherwise. The program of last evening was one of the best arranged ever presented here, comprising three quartet and two solo numbers and no encores, this last not for lack of recalls be assured. The first number was the Schumann quartet in F major, one of the gentlest and most mellow of the genile master's works. The third movement, the scherzo, was so excellently well played that it might have been repeated three times over had the players yielded to the feeling of the audience.

The Schumann was followed by a violin solo, Bach's "Chaconna," played by Franz Kneisel himself. Combining a breadth and beauty of tone with a faultless technique, Mr. Kneisel is the virtuoso in the more intellectual sense of the word, with small appeal to the emotions in his playing. He was recalled many times after his solo.

This solo performance was all the more remarkable from the fact that as late as 7 o'clock it was a question whether Mr. Kneisel would be able to appear because of a severe attack of rheumatism in his shoulder. The proposition was made that an apology be offered for him before he made his appearance, but he would not hear to this, saying he could not afford to disappoint an appreciative audience such as he always found in Pittsburgh, but in case he should break down then he wanted an explanation made, coupled with his sincere regrets that the affliction should attack him in Pittsburgh.

The Hugo Wolf "Italienische Serenade" was the last number of the first half of the program. Mr. Schroeder, 'cellist, in his solo number, a sonata of Locatelli, repeated the triumph of Mr. Kneisel. Mr. Joseph Gittings accompanied Mr. Schroeder. The program was closed by the Beethoven quartet in C major, played in the same consummate style which has won the Kneisel quartet their distinction in this country and abroad as today's foremost exponents of chamber music.

### Against Swinging Signs.

A crusade has been started against swinging signs and frame awnings in Homestead streets. The matter will be brought to the attention of council at its next meeting and an effort will be made to have an ordinance passed prohibiting the placing of swinging signs and frame awnings and compelling the removal of the ones in use.

## PRETTY SOPRANO IS TO SING TONIGHT

Miss Nina David.

Tonight at Carnegie Music hall, Nina David, the long-heralded soprano, who is said to have the greatest range in the world, will make her debut before a Pittsburgh audience. She will be supported by such well-known artists as Miss Elaine de Sellom, Anton Hegner, Maurice Kaufmann and George W. Jenkins.

### Arrivals at Pittsburgh's Hotels.

Lincoln—G. W. Frazier, DuBois.

Colonial—P. W. Gladding, Cressong; W. O. Peterson, Ligonier; C. W. Howell, Uniontown.

Seventh Avenue—H. N. Nipple, Akron; C. L. Cody, Ridgway; R. P. Jameson, New Castle; A. L. Hagerty, Altoona; A. Weaver, Massillon.

Monongahela House—R. Miller, Meadville; M. Jameson, Warren; C. K. Henderson, Parkersburg; P. A. Johns, Uniontown.

Griswold—D. Ross, Altoona; E. Fitzgerald, Masontown; H. B. Marshall, Indiana.

Duquesne—S. M. Robinson, Parker; H. S. Bell, Akron; J. F. Boyer, Titusville.

Henry—L. W. Squire, Greensburg; G. O. Wilby, Fairmont; C. S. Weir, Emlenton; E. T. Lascheid, Meadville, P. J. Wirebsck, Monessen.

### Ryser Suspects a Swindle Game.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Jacob Ryser, aged 80 years, has received a letter purporting to be from a wealthy Pittsburgh widow who wants to marry him. Ryser's friends think an effort is being made to swindle him and will investigate.


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Mrs. Elizabeth Griffith,
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To a reporter who visited her home at No. 1188 Seventh street, Des Moines, Ia., Mrs. Wyatt described her condition at this time, as follows:

"My solicitude was so great that it affected my heart and then my stomach. I had pain in the region of the heart, palpitation and shortness of breath so that I could not walk very fast. My head ached very badly and I was finally seized with vomiting spells whenever I took any food. A doctor was called who pronounced the trouble gastritis, but he gave me no relief. Then I tried a second doctor without benefit. By this time I had become very weak. I could not keep the most delicate broth on my stomach, and at the end of a month I was scarcely more than skin and bone and was really starving to death.

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## THE THREE RIVERS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 20.—The stage of the river at 6 o'clock this evening was 4.4 feet and rising. Weather clear and cooler. Today's departures were: Katie Mae, Portsmouth and Dixie Bee, Louisville. A slight rise is headed this way. It will not be of sufficient quantity to allow of the heavier draft boats beginning operations unless more rain falls. Capt. A. R. Perrin of Maldon, W. Va., was the guest of Capt. A. E. Burnside on the floor of the chamber of commerce today. There is every prospect of the establishment of one or more packet lines out of Cincinnati during the coming season. It is said that a boat will be put in the Maysville trade by other than the present operators and that another boat will be put in the Pittsburgh trade.

STEUBENVILLE—River 2 feet 5 inches and falling. Cloudy and cool.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 5 inches and stationary. Cloudy and warm.

GREENSBORO—River 5.5 feet and stationary. Warm and threatening. Columbia down Friday and Woodward up.

WARREN—River .8 foot. Cloudy and warm.

PARKERSBURG—River 3.4 feet and falling. Light rain. The Bessie Smith left at 4 a. m. for Wheeling.

POINT PLEASANT—River 2 feet and rising. Cloudy and raining.

LOUISVILLE—River stationary; in canal, 4 feet; on falls, .2 foot; below locks, 3.4 feet. Clear and cool.

GALLIPOLIS—River 3 feet 2 inches and rising. Showery.

## NEARING DESTINATION.

### Mermaid Arrived at Marietta Last Evening—Due at Pomeroy Tomorrow.

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 6 o'clock last night was 2.6 feet and the river was stationary.

The Mermaid, under command of Capt. W. Blackstock, arrived at Marietta last evening and will finish her journey to Pomeroy either this evening or tomorrow. The trip has been made without accident or incident and the 10 empty barges and the loaded flat were handled in good shape by the little Mermaid.

The Columbia was the Morgantown boat yesterday, with a good passenger and freight trip. The Flint, Eleanor and Leonard are all tied up at the Market street wharf. The Eleanor is undergoing some repairs.

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Brick house of 7 rooms, all conveniences; lot 20x130 feet; small frame house on rear; annual rental $684; for quick sale will take $7,500.
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HOME TRUST COMPANY,
Wood st. and Sixth ave.

$1,000 CASH

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# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET MADE A STRONG RALLY

## U. S. Steel Closed Lower, but Tractions and Railroads Closed Higher—Crucible Preferred Declined and Recovered.

By JOHN O. EAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There were two periods of activity in the New York stock market yesterday. One was during the opening hour, when traders tried to force a further reaction. The second was during the last hour, when the same traders were trying to cover their shorts, and when a spectacular display of strength occurred in a few specialties, notable among which was Ontario & Western. Between times the general list was dull, but the tractions displayed great strength throughout the entire session, and closed with large net gains. The volume of trading was below the average of the week, but the total sales exceeded 1,400,000 shares.

London prices for American securities were irregular, averaging slightly lower, and foreigners were sellers of between 30,000 and 40,000 shares. Shortly after the opening the Steel stocks were pressed for sale, and the decline in these—the common touching 20 and the preferred 80¾—was accepted as evidence that the reaction was to go farther. On this theory traders sold and smart declines occurred all through the railroad list. While this reaction was in progress the traction stocks became buoyant, and with scarcely a halt advanced to the close of the day. Brooklyn Rapid Transit reached 68¼ and closed at a net gain of 1⅝. Metropolitan reached 127, the highest of the year, and closed at a net gain of 4⅛ per cent. A rumor that was pronounced absurd by those who repeated it was that the Metropolitan Street Railway was negotiating for control of Brooklyn on a basis of a guaranteed dividend beginning at 3 per cent and advancing gradually to 6 per cent. Metropolitan Securities rose to 88¼ and closed with a net gain of 2¼ per cent. The greatest gain, however, was scored by Interborough, which closed on the curb at 160 bid, against 149 bid the night before. During the early part of the afternoon the general market was dull and hesitating, and some stocks declined to the low point of the morning. Then came the movement in Ontario & Western, which never stopped until the price reached 40¼, which was 2¼ per cent above the previous high price of the year, and 5 per cent above the highest price of last year. In this connection, rumor was again more interesting than fact. The only real news was the circular addressed by the chairman of the stockholders' protective committee, advising the sending of proxies to the company in favor of the proposed bond issue. The rumor was that the New York & New Haven railroad would be given control of the road on a guarantee of 8 per cent on the stock. The fact that the New Haven road had recently purchased a rather insignificant road which intersects Ontario & Western was regarded as some evidence of the truth of the rumor.

The effect of this buying of Ontario & Western, the revival of bullish activity in Chicago Great Western, and the continued strength of the tractions was to start a covering movement in the general list and the whole market responded. Steel common and preferred each rallied 1⅜ per cent. Colorado Fuel and Iron and Tennessee Coal and Iron scored net gains of 1 and 1¾ per cent, respectively. Reading closed ¼ per cent higher, and Pennsylvania and other members of this group gained small fractions compared with Wednesday's close. Union Pacific, Atchison and St. Paul closed higher for the day. With a few exceptions the net declines were insignificant.

The money market continued easy, and it is thought that there has been sufficient shifting of loans to produce a favorable bank statement tomorrow. The weekly statement of the Bank of England was favorable, the percentage of reserve to liability increasing 1.60 per cent. The Bank of France reported a small decrease in gold and an increase of $5,405,000 in loans.

On the Pittsburgh stock exchange interest centered in Crucible Steel. The opening was weak, the common stock declining to 6 and the preferred to 37¾. There was a good demand on the decline, and late in the afternoon the losses on the preferred stock were not only recovered, but the price advanced to 39¾, the close being at 39½ bid, a net gain of ½ per cent for the day. The feeling is growing that the worst regarding Crucible affairs is known and that if the iron market continues to improve, Crucible will enhance in market value. The strongest stock on the list was Pittsburgh Plate Glass, which rose from 127 to 131, closing at a net gain for the day of 6 per cent. The movement is based upon the rumors referred to yesterday of negotiations for a consolidation of smaller plate glass interests, with the possibility of Pittsburgh Plate Glass controlling the situation. Coal stocks were steady to firm. Pittsburgh preferred rallying to 72¾, and closing at 72 bid. River Coal common sold at 8 and the preferred was a fraction higher, at 23. The Westinghouse stocks were also strong, Electric advancing to 86½, but subsequently reacting to and closing at 86 bid. National Fire Proofing preferred was heavy, declining to 30¾, and Luster Mining dropped 1½ to 14 on light sales. There were no public transactions in bonds, but private sales were larger than for weeks past.

## PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

### 10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | Crucible pfd.. | 38½ | 25 Crucible pfd.... 37¾ |
| 20 | do..... | 38¼ | 20 do..... 37⅞ |
| 25 | do..... | 38⅜ | 100 Brewing ..... 25¼ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 10 Electric 2ds... 86¼ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 5 do..... 86½ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 10 U. S. Steel... 20⅜ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 50 do..... 20⅝ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 54 Pgh. Coal pfd. 72½ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 40 Fire Proofing.. 31½ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 46 do..... 31¾ |
| 15 | do..... | 38 | 50 do..... 31½ |
| 25 | do..... | 38 | 50 do..... 31½ |
| 75 | do..... | 38 | 42 U. S. St'l pfd. 81¼ |
| 50 | do..... | 38 | 50 Crucible ..... 38 |
| 100 | do..... | 38 | 50 do..... 6½ |
| 15 | do..... | 38 | 32 do..... 6¾ |
| 100 | do..... | 37¾ | 5 do..... 6¾ |
| 10 | do..... | 37¾ | 50 do..... 6⅝ |

### 10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

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| 10 | P. Coal pfd.. | 72½ | 50 Crucible ..... 6 |
| 50 | do..... | 72¾ | 50 Crucible pfd... 37⅝ |
| 50 | do..... | 72¾ | 30 do..... 37⅞ |
| 15 | do..... | 72¾ | 50 do..... 37⅝ |
| 20 | do..... | 72¾ | 50 do..... 37⅞ |
| 40 | do..... | 72¾ | 25 do..... 37⅝ |
| 25 | Crucible ..... | 6¼ | 50 Electric 2ds... 86 |
| 50 | do..... | 6 | 10 do..... 86⅜ |
| 50 | do..... | 6 | 40 M. L. & H.... 38¼ |
| 100 | do..... | 6 | 50 Brewing ..... 25¼ |

### 11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

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| 5 | Pgh. Coal pfd 72⅜ | 5 | U. S. St'l pfd. 80¾ |
| 20 | Riv. Coal pfd. 23 | 100 | do..... 80¼ |
| 25 | Brewing ..... 25¼ | 100 | do..... 80⅝ |
| 15 | do..... 25⅛ | 20 | U. S. Steel... 20⅛ |
| 50 | River Coal.. 8 | 10 | do..... 20⅞ |
| 10 | Crucible pfd.. 38 | 100 | Fire Proofing.. 8⅝ |
| 25 | do..... 38 | 10 | do..... 8⅛ |
| 15 | do..... 38 | 10 | do..... 8⅛ |
| 25 | do..... 38 | 50 | do..... 8⅛ |
| 50 | do..... 38 | 50 | Pgh. P. pfd.... 36½ |
| 10 | do..... 38⅛ | 25 | do..... 36½ |
| 10 | do..... 38⅛ | 10 | do..... 36½ |
| 25 | do..... 38⅛ | 3 | do..... 36 |
| 70 | Sewer Pipe.... 21¼ | 100 | Pgh. Pl. Glass.127 |
| 24 | U. S. St'l pfd. 81 | 100 | do..... 128 |
| 100 | do..... 81 | 50 | do..... 128 |
| 100 | do..... 81 | 50 | do..... 128 |
| 100 | do..... 81 | 50 | do..... 128 |
| 100 | do..... 80½ | 75 | Wabash R. R.. 21⅝ |
| 20 | do..... 80⅝ | 200 | Amal. Copper. 65¾ |

### 12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | Crucible pfd... | 38¼ | 100 Fire Proofing.. 8¼ |
| 50 | do..... | 38¼ | 100 do..... 8¼ |
| 5 | do..... | 38¼ | 50 Pgh. Coal pfd. 72¼ |
| 10 | do..... | 38¼ | 3 Amal. Copper. 65¾ |
| 10 | do..... | 38¼ | 100 do..... 65⅝ |
| 50 | do..... | 38¼ | 20 U. S. Steel.... 20⅜ |
| 10 | do..... | 38¼ | 50 do..... 20⅜ |
| 40 | do..... | 38⅞ | 4 M. L. & H.... 38¾ |
| 100 | do..... | 39 | 10 Crucible ..... 6 |
| 50 | do..... | 39 | 5 do..... 6 |
| 5 | Electric 2ds... | 85¾ | 20 do..... 6¼ |
| 25 | do..... | 85½ | 25 do..... 6¼ |
| 100 | Fire P. pfd... | 30¾ | 50 do..... 6⅛ |
| 65 | Sewer Pipe.... | 21½ | 120 do..... 6¾ |
| 65 | do..... | 21½ | 5 Luster ..... 14 |
| 10 | U. S. St'l pfd. | 80¾ | 10 do..... 14 |
| 25 | Riv. Coal pfd. | 23 | 30 do..... 14 |

### 2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 25 | Crucible pfd.. | 39¼ | 20 Electric 2ds... 85¾ |
| 50 | do..... | 39½ | 10 Brewing ..... 25⅛ |
| 5 | do..... | 39 | 100 do..... 26⅛ |
| 50 | do..... | 39½ | 200 Pgh. Coal..... 17 |
| 3 | U. S. St'l pfd. | 80¼ | 150 do..... 17 |
| 17 | Ohio Fuel..... | 39¾ | 50 do..... 17 |
| 20 | Fire P. pfd... | 30½ | 50 do..... 17 |
| 45 | do..... | 30½ | 100 Pgh. Plate Gl.130 |
| 50 | Electric 2ds... | 85¾ | 50 do..... 130 |

### 2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10 | Luster ..... | 14½ | 50 Pgh. Coal..... 11 |
| 3 | Cons. Ice..... | 5½ | 100 Amal. Copper. 65¾ |
| 40 | Pgh. Plate Gl.131 | | 30 Ohio Fuel..... 40 |
| 50 | do..... | 131 | 20 U. S. Steel.... 20¾ |
| 200 | Fire P. pfd... | 31 | 20 Crucible pfd.. 40½ |
| 100 | Chi. G. W.... | 20¼ | 20 do..... 39⅝ |
| 100 | do..... | 20⅜ | 4 do..... 39⅛ |
| 10 | Fire Proofing. | 8¼ | 10 U. S. St'l pfd. 80¾ |
| 50 | do..... | 8¾ | 25 Brewing ..... 25½ |
| 40 | do..... | 8¾ | 60 Pgh. Coal pfd. 72 |
| 40 | Fire P. pfd... | 30¾ | 100 Met. St. Ry... 126 |
| 25 | do..... | 30⅜ | 100 W. & L. E.... 18½ |

### Summary.

| Shares. | | High. | Low. | Last Sales. | Chge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 500 | Amal. Copper.. | 65⅞ | 63¼ | 63½ | —1 |
| 325 | Brewing ..... | 25¼ | 25⅛ | 25¼ | +⅛ |
| 200 | Chic. G. W.... | 20⅛ | 20¼ | 20⅛ | +1⅛ |
| 3 | Cons. Ice..... | 5½ | 5½ | 5½ | —½ |
| 662 | Cruc. Steel.... | *6⅜ | 6 | 6¼ | —⅛ |
| 1779 | Do preferred. | 39⅝ | 37⅝ | *39¼ | +1¾ |
| 644 | Fireproof..... | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ | 0 |
| 318 | Do preferred. | 30⅝ | *30 | 30⅜ | —⅛ |
| 55 | Luster Mining. | 14 | 14 | 14 | —1½ |
| 44 | Mfrs. L. & R.. | *38¾ | 38¼ | *38⅜ | +⅛ |
| 160 | Met. St. Ry.... | 126 | 126 | 126 | +6⅛ |
| 47 | Ohio Fuel..... | 40 | 39¾ | 40 | 0 |
| 500 | Pgh. Coal..... | 17 | 17 | 17 | +¼ |
| 374 | Do preferred. | 72¾ | 72 | 72 | 0 |
| 700 | P. Plate Glass. | 131 | 127 | 131 | +6 |
| 60 | River Coal.... | 8 | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| 46 | Do preferred. | 23 | 23 | 23 | +½ |
| 200 | Sewer Pipe.... | 21¾ | 21¼ | 21½ | 0 |
| 180 | U. S. Steel.... | 20⅞ | 20¼ | 20⅜ | —⅜ |
| 714 | Do preferred. | 81⅛ | 80¾ | 80¾ | —⅜ |
| 10 | Wabash ..... | 21⅝ | 21⅝ | 21⅝ | .... |
| 175 | West. U. 2s... | 86½ | 85¼ | 85⅜ | —1¼ |
| 100 | W. & L. E. R. | 18½ | 18½ | 18½ | .... |
| 5819 | | | | | |

*Less than 10 shares.

### Closing Bids and Offers.

| | Par. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Manufacturers Light & Heat. | 50 | 38¾ | 39 |
| Ohio Fuel Supply..... | 25 | 39⅝ | 40 |
| Citizens Traction..... | 50 | .... | 20 |
| Luster Mining..... | 10 | 13⅞ | 14½ |
| West. Electric..... | 50 | 86 | 86½ |
| Consolidated Ice..... | 50 | .... | 6½ |
| Crucible Steel..... | 100 | 6¼ | 6⅝ |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 29½ | 30¾ |
| Monongahela River Coal.. | 50 | 8 | 8½ |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | .... | 20 |
| Monongahela Water..... | 25 | 30 | 31 |
| National Fireproofing..... | 50 | 8¼ | 8 |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | 30¾ | 30⅞ |
| Philadelphia Company..... | 50 | 41¾ | 42½ |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | 46½ | .... |
| Pittsburgh Brewing..... | 50 | 25⅛ | 25¼ |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | 42¾ | .... |
| Pittsburgh Coal..... | 100 | 17 | .... |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 72 | 72¼ |
| Pittsburgh Plate Glass..... | 100 | 130⅝ | .... |
| Pgh. Stove & Range..... | 50 | 5 | .... |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | .... | 13½ |
| Union Switch & Signal..... | 50 | 14 | 15 |
| Do preferred..... | 50 | .... | 100 |
| United Plate Glass..... | 100 | 48 | 50 |
| United States Steel..... | 100 | 29⅝ | .... |
| Do preferred..... | 100 | 81¾ | .... |
| Monon. Incline..... | 50 | 62 | .... |
| Am. Sewer Pipe..... | 100 | 21¼ | 21½ |
| BONDS. | | | |
| Pittsburgh Brewing 6s..... | | | 114 |

### PIG IRON WARRANTS.

| Class. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| A—December delivery..... | $14.25 | .... |
| B—December delivery..... | 13.60 | .... |
| D—December delivery..... | 12.95 | .... |
| A—November delivery..... | 15.35 | .... |
| B—November delivery..... | 12.90 | .... |
| A—October delivery..... | 13.50 | .... |
| D—October delivery..... | 12.95 | .... |

## NOTES AND COMMENT.

While the salesboard of the Pittsburgh stock exchange shows that the local market is broadening, it does not by any means reflect all the improvement. On the exchange yesterday there were no recorded sales of bonds, and yet one local house closed the sale of $400,000 Pittsburgh Terminal Railroad and Coal 5 per cent first mortgage bonds at 98. This transaction follows one of $150,000 made by the same house last week. These bonds, of which the total issue is $7,000,000, have sold as high as 102½ and as low as 92½, and are now recovering with the general upward tendency in the market.

Several local bond dealers were yesterday discussing the prospects for the newly authorized Crucible Steel 5 per cent bonds, which are to be offered to Crucible stockholders for subscription at a price not below 95. It was generally admitted that a year or even six months ago it would have been difficult if not impossible to place any of the bonds on the proposed basis, but that actual financial conditions and sentiment had undergone such a change that the bonds would probably meet with ready subscriptions. "If the deal is handled properly," remarked one broker, "the bonds will be easily floated and will eventually sell at a premium. What should be done would be to have prepared a statement of the real estate of the corporation, which alone I believe will amount in value to more than the total issue, making the bonds practically a real estate mortgage. The percentage of bonds to capital will be only 14 per cent if the entire amount is outstanding at one time, which is lower than that of any other industrial company which has recently issued bonds. Even in a year so poor as that just closed the earnings would be sufficient to pay interest and meet sinking fund requirements, while with a restoration of earnings to the average of the first two years, the total would be equivalent to 50 per cent of the entire bond issue."

The return of some of the stockholders who attended the annual meeting on Wednesday and their expressions of confidence in Chairman W. G. Park seemed to have a good effect upon Crucible Steel preferred. The stock had sold down to 37¾ at the opening, but in the afternoon recovered to 39¾, and closed at 39½ bid, an advance of ½ per cent over the final sale on Wednesday. Whitney, Stephenson & Co., Masten & Co., Spencer & Co. and Carothers & Co. were among the buyers.

Regarding the rise of $6 a share in Pittsburgh Plate Glass, a director of one of the smaller plate glass companies said: "There has been no definite step taken in the matter of bringing into closer affiliation or consolidating the plate glass producers, but there has been some talk and advisability of such action. If the matter should take definite form and be carried to a conclusion, it would not be cause for checking the advance in Pittsburgh Plate Glass, which has been selling below its book value." The principal buyers of Pittsburgh Plate Glass yesterday were Sproul & Co., Robinson Bros. and Chester T. Hoag. The largest sellers were Darr, Luke & Moore and Speer Bros.

The earnings of the Rock Island lines for August show a decrease of nearly 12 per cent in gross and of 22 per cent in net for Rock Island and increases of 7 per cent and 19 per cent in gross and net, respectively, for Frisco.

Holmes & Sons bid 110 for $50,000, or any part of that amount of first mortgage United States Steel bonds, any series.

The annual election of the Pittsburgh Bankers and Bank Clerks' Mutual Benefit association will be held November 21, 1904. Following is the first ticket in the field: President, Henry Reiber, Farmers Deposit National bank; vice president, John E. Hidall Jr., Allegheny National bank; treasurer, Edwin S. Siggers, N. Holmes & Son; recording secretary, Charles A. Lawrence, Equitable Trust Company; corresponding secretary, Edward F. Straitman, Fidelity Title and Trust Company; directors, D. C. Wilis, Diamond National bank; C. M. Garwig, Industrial National bank; Ira C. Harper, Home Trust Company; William P. Barker, Union National bank; Charles E. Schuetz, Western Savings and Deposit bank; C. M. Corbit, City Deposit bank; trustees, Hugh Young, Federal National bank; James H. Willock, Second National bank.

The sudden and current strength in Bell Telephone (of Philadelphia) stock has revived gossip that it may turn out that after all the Bell has thought or will be able to practically remove telephone competition in Philadelphia present and future, the latter by means of the expected prohibitive legislation against overhead wires.

A prominent professional trader wired this observation on the character of the dealings: "The buyers of yesterday are the sellers of today. Gates sold 25,000 shares Reading and 5,000 to 8,000 shares Union Pacific and so on around the market, their sales aggregating well over 40,000 shares. Marshall-Spader was also a large seller. In my opinion buying is better than the selling."

Philadelphia dispatch: More than $1,000,000 of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal Railway Company 4 per cent first mortgage bonds have been sold in Philadelphia. The bonds were brought out by Vermilye & Co., and are being sold here by Verner & Co. The price has advanced to 90 and interest. Bonds are free of tax in Pennsylvania and a first mortgage on the Iowa terminals at two-thirds of the cost of construction.

Quite a number of New York stocks were handled on the Pittsburg board, among them being 500 shares Amalgamated Copper. R. C. Hall selling to Masten & Co. The directors of Amalgamated Copper yesterday declared the regular quarterly dividend of ½ per cent.

H. B. Claflin directors have declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1¼ per cent on the first preferred stock and 1½ per cent on the second preferred stock, both payable November 1.

The complacency with which the reaction yesterday was generally regarded was due to the supposition that the great financial forces which have made the market favored a reaction in order to shake off weak followers and give opportunity for themselves to secure stocks at a lower level which had been sold at a profit. In accordance with this idea was the assertion which found circulation at various times during the day that the buying on the decline was of the best character.

The liquidation in United States Steel stocks had as much effect on sentiment as anything else and this occurred in spite of the news of excited buying of pig iron for forward delivery and of very large orders for new freight cars by the railroads in expectation of an active revival of business. Yesterday's report of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, disclosing the extent of the slump in the trade last year, came in for some consideration and the new interests represented in that company may have aroused attention to the possibility of new opposition to the corporation. There were also rumors of intended closing down of furnaces by the corporation.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company was held in Montreal Wednesday. The following profit and loss account was presented as of date December 31, 1903:

| | |
|---|---|
| Interest on first mortgage bonds..... | $ 395,550 |
| General interest account..... | 131,303 |
| Sinking fund first mortgage bonds... | 55,799 |
| Dividend on preferred stock April 1. | 87,500 |
| Balance on account coal department written off..... | 245,467 |
| Appropriation for shrinkage in values of materials..... | 123,633 |
| Total..... | $1,039,252 |
| Balance left over Dec. 31, 1902.... | $ 309,612 |
| Net profit iron and steel dept., 1903. | 115,576 |
| Rental received..... | 8,036 |
| Renewal and suspense account transferred..... | 21,790 |
| Balance of debt account Dec. 31, 1903. | 584,237 |
| Total..... | $1,039,252 |

### Boston Stocks and Bonds.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison ..... | 80 | Amer. Sugar pfd....135 | |
| Do preferred.... | 101¾ | Amer. Tel. & Tel..143⅜ | |
| Boston & Albany.. | 250 | Amer. Woolen..... | 18 |
| Boston & Maine.. | 164 | Dom. Iron & St'l.. | 14½ |
| Boston Elevated.. | 152 | *Edison Elec. Ill.. | 250 |
| Mexican Central.. | 16¼ | Massachusetts Gas | 42½ |
| N. Y., N. H. & H. | 195½ | *Pere Marquette.. | 76 |
| Union Pacific..... | 104⅛ | United Fruit ..... | 104½ |
| Asso. Arge. Chem.. | 15⅝ | *Un. Shoe Mach.. | 35 |
| Do preferred.... | 50 | Do preferred.... | 31½ |
| Amer. Pneu. Tube | 5 | U. S. Steel..... | 21 |
| American Sugar...126½ | | Do preferred.... | 81¼ |

*Asked.

## COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

### ACTIVE LIST.

| Sales. | STOCKS. | Open | High | Low. | Close Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 42400 | At., T. & S. F. | 85½ | 86⅛ | 85 | 85⅛ |
| 4400 | Do preferred.. | 102 | 102⅝ | 101¼ | 101⅞ |
| 800 | Am. Cotton Oil... | 32 | 32¼ | 31¾ | 31 |
| | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 90 |
| 13400 | Am. Sugar Ref.. | 136 | 136⅜ | 135⅝ | 136⅝ |
| | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 135 |
| 1100 | Am. Locomotive.. | 28⅝ | 28⅝ | 28 | 28⅛ |
| 100 | Do preferred.. | 97¾ | 97¾ | 97¾ | 97 |
| 400 | Am. Car & Dry.. | 26⅝ | 26⅝ | 20 | 28¼ |
| | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 83 |
| 56000 | Amal. Copper.... | 64⅛ | 64½ | 62¾ | 64¼ |
| 1000 | Anaconda Copper. | 95 | 95 | 94 | 94 |
| 1700 | Am. S. & Ref.... | 66½ | 67⅛ | 66¼ | 67⅛ |
| 200 | Do preferred.... | 108¾ | 109½ | 108¾ | 109 |
| 400 | American Ice.... | 8½ | 8¾ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ |
| 1200 | Do preferred.... | 28 | 28⅛ | 28⅜ | 28¾ |
| 11500 | Balto. & Ohio.... | 94⅛ | 94⅝ | 93¾ | 94⅜ |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 95½ |
| 55000 | Brk. Rap. Tran.. | 67 | 68¼ | 66⅞ | 67⅜ |
| | Can. Southern.... | .... | .... | .... | 67½ |
| 2400 | Can. Pacific..... | 132 | 133⅝ | 132½ | 133¼ |
| 21300 | Chicago & G. W.. | 19⅝ | 20⅛ | 18⅝ | 20⅛ |
| 11800 | Col. Fuel & I.... | 210¼ | 210¼ | 218 | 215⅞ |
| 300 | C., C., C. & St. L. | 85 | 85 | 84½ | 85 |
| 6300 | Ches. & Ohio..... | 44¾ | 44¾ | 44 | 44½ |
| 1000 | Chicago & N'w.. | 191½ | 192 | 191 | 191⅝ |
| 19850 | Col. Fuel & I.... | 38 | 40 | 36 | 39¾ |
| 400 | Corn Product.... | 17 | 17¼ | 17 | 17¼ |
| | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 74½ |
| 8000 | Col. Southern.... | 23 | 23¼ | 22¾ | 22⅝ |
| 500 | Do 1st pfd..... | 54 | 54¼ | 54 | 54⅜ |
| 8800 | Do 2d pfd..... | 29¼ | 30½ | 29 | 30 |
| 100 | Del., L. & W.... | 204½ | 204½ | 204½ | 204 |
| 2100 | Del. & Hudson.. | 175¼ | 175¾ | 174¼ | 174¾ |
| 43800 | Erie ..... | 35⅝ | 36⅜ | 35¼ | 35⅞ |
| 9000 | Do 1st pfd..... | 71¾ | 72¼ | 71⅜ | 72⅛ |
| 4000 | Do 2d pfd..... | 50¼ | 50⅝ | 49¼ | 50 |
| 1200 | Gen. Electric.... | 175½ | 176⅛ | 175¼ | 176¼ |
| 200 | Hocking Valley.. | 83 | 83 | 82 | 82 |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | 90 | 90 | 90 | 89½ |
| 4600 | Illinois Central.. | 144¾ | 144¾ | 143½ | 144⅝ |
| 300 | Iowa Central..... | 29 | 29½ | 28¾ | 28½ |
| 200 | Do preferred.... | 43½ | 43⅝ | 40½ | 40½ |
| 2400 | Int. Paper..... | 18 | 18⅛ | 17¾ | 17⅞ |
| 800 | Do preferred.... | 77½ | 78 | 77½ | 77⅞ |
| | Lake E. & W..... | .... | .... | .... | 32 |
| | Do preferred.... | 100 | 100 | 100 | 90 |
| 8500 | Louisv. & Nashv.. | 134¾ | 135¾ | 134 | 135¼ |
| 3400 | Manhattan ..... | 158 | 158⅜ | 158 | 158½ |
| 22800 | Missouri Pacific.. | 104 | 104⅝ | 103¾ | 104 |
| 2700 | M., K. & T..... | 29 | 29¼ | 28¾ | 29⅛ |
| 1400 | Do preferred.... | 57 | 57¼ | 56¾ | 56¾ |
| 84000 | Metropolitan .... | 122¾ | 127 | 122¾ | 126⅝ |
| 22600 | Do Securities.... | 84 | 86½ | 84 | 86 |
| 7200 | Mex. Central..... | 16½ | 16⅝ | 15⅜ | 16⅛ |
| 900 | Nat. Lead ..... | 25¼ | 25⅜ | 24½ | 25⅛ |
| | Do preferred.... | 97¾ | 98 | 97¼ | 97⅝ |
| | National Biscuit.. | .... | .... | .... | 48¾ |
| | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 109 |
| | N. Y. Airbrake.. | 137 | 137½ | 137 | 137 |
| 5400 | N. Y. Central.. | 134 | 134¼ | 132¾ | 133⅜ |
| | N. J. Central.. | 182½ | 182½ | 182½ | 182¼ |
| 171100 | N. Y., O. & W.... | 36¼ | 40¼ | 36¼ | 40¼ |
| 5300 | Norfolk & W.... | 72½ | 73 | 71¾ | 71¾ |
| | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 91 |
| 200 | Northern Pac.... | 97 | 97¼ | 96¼ | 96½ |
| 6500 | Peoples Gas..... | 106¾ | 107⅜ | 106¼ | 107¼ |
| 1600 | Pacific Mail..... | 38 | 39 | 37¾ | 39 |
| | Pullman ..... | .... | .... | .... | 227 |
| 3600 | Pr. Steel Car.... | 40½ | 41¾ | 40½ | 40⅝ |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | .... | .... | .... | 85 |
| 69000 | Penna. R..... | 136 | 136¾ | 135 | 135¾ |
| | Ry. Springs..... | 25¼ | 25⅝ | 25¼ | 25¼ |
| | Do preferred.... | 86½ | 86⅝ | 86½ | 86½ |
| 100800 | Reading ..... | 75¼ | 75¼ | 74¼ | 75⅜ |
| 500 | Do 1st pfd..... | 88 | 88¼ | 88 | 88 |
| 400 | Do 2d pfd..... | 81 | 81 | 81 | 80½ |
| 10100 | Rock Island..... | 25¼ | 25⅝ | 25¼ | 25¼ |
| 400 | Do preferred.... | 73 | 73 | 72½ | 73 |
| 3100 | Republic ..... | 12¼ | 12¾ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ |
| 1200 | Do preferred.... | 52 | 52½ | 52 | 52¼ |
| 4000 | Southern Pacific. | 61¼ | 61⅝ | 60⅝ | 61⅜ |
| 17800 | Southern Ry..... | 34¼ | 34⅝ | 33⅝ | 34⅝ |
| 600 | Do preferred.... | 95 | 95⅝ | 95 | 95 |
| | St. Paul..... | 171½ | 172½ | 170⅝ | 171⅝ |
| | Do preferred.... | 185 | 185 | 185 | 184 |
| 400 | St. L. & S'w.... | 22 | 22 | 22 | 21½ |
| 300 | Do preferred.... | 49 | 49 | 48½ | 48½ |
| 5100 | Tenn. C. & I..... | 56½ | 59¼ | 55¼ | 59⅛ |
| 200 | T., St. L. & W... | 30½ | 30½ | 30½ | 30⅜ |
| 200 | Do preferred.... | 49¾ | 49¾ | 49½ | 49¾ |
| 95000 | U. S. Steel..... | 20½ | 21⅜ | 20 | 21 |
| 129400 | Do preferred.... | 81¾ | 81⅝ | 80¼ | 81⅜ |
| | Do 2d 5% bonds | 87¾ | 87⅝ | 87 | 87¼ |
| 75200 | Union Pacific.... | 106⅝ | 106⅝ | 105⅝ | 106⅝ |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | 95¼ | 96¼ | 95¼ | 95 |
| 700 | U. S. Rubber..... | 28 | 28⅝ | 28 | 28¼ |
| 800 | Do preferred.... | 82 | 82⅜ | 82 | 82 |
| 19700 | U. S. Leather.... | 13⅛ | 13½ | 12½ | 12⅝ |
| 1900 | Do preferred.... | 91½ | 91¾ | 90¾ | 91 |
| | U. S. C. I. Pipe.. | 13¼ | 13¾ | 13 | 13 |
| | Do preferred.... | 63¼ | 63⅞ | 63⅛ | 63 |
| 300 | U. S. Ex. & Cons. | 63½ | 63⅞ | 63½ | 63⅝ |
| 2500 | Wabash ..... | 21½ | 21⅝ | 21 | 21⅜ |
| 2000 | Do preferred.... | 44 | 43⅜ | 42½ | 43⅛ |
| 400 | Western Union.. | 92¼ | 92¼ | 91½ | 91¼ |
| 700 | W. & L. E..... | 18¾ | 18¾ | 18 | 18⅜ |
| | Do 1st pfd..... | 46¼ | 46¼ | 46 | 45 |
| 600 | Wisconsin Cent.. | 21¾ | 22 | 21¾ | 22 |
| 600 | Do preferred.... | 45⅝ | 46⅜ | 45 | 45½ |
| | W. Elec. 2d pfd.. | 172½ | 172⅝ | 170½ | 171½ |
| | M.St.L. & S.St.M. | .... | .... | .... | 71¾ |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | 134 | 134 | 134 | 134 |
| | Va. Car.—Chem.. | 34½ | 34½ | 34½ | 34½ |
| | Do preferred.... | 108¼ | 108¼ | 108¼ | 108 |
| 600 | D. & R. G..... | 30¾ | 30½ | 30½ | 29¾ |
| 1000 | Do preferred.... | 82¾ | 83¼ | 82¾ | 82½ |

### INACTIVE LIST.

| Sales. | STOCKS. | Open | High | Low. | Close Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 100 | A. Steel Fdries... | .... | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 400 | Do preferred.... | .... | 37 | 36⅞ | 37 |
| 400 | Allis. Chalmers.. | .... | 12 | 11¾ | 12 |
| 935 | Am. Grass & T.... | .... | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ |
| 200 | A. Hide & Leath. | .... | 6 | 6 | 5¾ |
| 600 | Do preferred.... | .... | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| 3800 | American Malt.... | .... | 5¾ | 5¼ | 5 |
| 800 | Do preferred.... | .... | 25 | 23 | 22½ |
| 100 | American Snuff... | .... | 155 | 155 | 154 |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | .... | 96¼ | 96¼ | 96 |
| 200 | American Wool.... | .... | 18¼ | 18¼ | 18½ |
| 400 | Chicago Un. Tr.. | .... | 7½ | 6½ | 7½ |
| 1900 | Chi. Ter. Tr. pfd. | .... | 15⅞ | 15 | 15⅞ |
| 700 | Corn Product.... | .... | 17¾ | 17 | 17¾ |
| 1200 | Con. Tobacco pfd. | .... | 124½ | 124 | 124½ |
| 600 | D. & R. G..... | .... | 30¾ | 29½ | 30 |
| 900 | Do preferred.... | .... | 83 | 82¾ | 82¾ |
| 1870 | Detroit United.... | .... | 75 | 74½ | 74½ |
| 400 | Detroit So. Ry.... | .... | 4½ | 4¾ | 4½ |
| 800 | D. S. S. & A..... | .... | 11⅜ | 11⅛ | 11⅜ |
| 2400 | Do preferred.... | .... | 21 | 18½ | 20¾ |
| 810 | Iowa Central..... | .... | 29½ | 28¾ | 28⅝ |
| 200 | Do preferred.... | .... | 40¾ | 40½ | 40½ |
| 200 | Int. Pump pfd.. | .... | 78¼ | 78¼ | 78½ |
| 235 | Kan. & Mich..... | .... | 33⅜ | 33½ | 33½ |
| 515 | Kan. City & So... | .... | 27½ | 27 | 27¼ |
| 515 | Do preferred.... | .... | 49 | 48 | 48½ |
| 240 | K.C.Ft.S.& M.pfd | .... | 79¾ | 79¾ | 79¾ |
| | M.St.P. & S.S.M. | .... | 83¼ | 83¼ | 83 |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | .... | 134 | 134 | 133¾ |
| 18850 | Met. Subs..... | .... | 86¾ | 85 | 85¼ |
| 100 | M. & St. L. pfd. | .... | 96¼ | 96¾ | 96 |
| 2080 | M. K. & T. com. | .... | 29 | 28¾ | 28¾ |
| 500 | N. Y. Airbrake.. | .... | 137½ | 137 | 137 |
| 100 | Pac. Coast Co. pf | .... | 77 | 77 | 77 |
| 200 | P. Marquette pfd. | .... | 72¾ | 71¾ | 72¾ |
| 1000 | Rubber Goods.... | .... | 23⅛ | 22¾ | 22⅝ |
| 100 | Do preferred.... | .... | 85 | 85 | 84¾ |
| | St. J. & G. I. pfd | .... | 61½ | 61¼ | 61½ |
| 400 | Sloss ..... | .... | 45½ | 45½ | 45¾ |
| 240 | Third Avenue.... | .... | 130½ | 130½ | 130½ |
| 100 | Un. Bag & Paper | .... | 7¼ | 7¼ | 7¼ |
| 162 | Do preferred.... | .... | 68 | 68 | 68 |
| 300 | Va. Car.—Chem.. | .... | 34½ | 34½ | 34½ |
| 200 | Do preferred.... | .... | 103¾ | 103¾ | 106 |
| 1050 | W. Elec. 2d pfd. | .... | 172¾ | 171 | 170¾ |

*Ex-dividend.

## NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

| | | | |
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| U. S.

# REPORTED SALE OF THE COLISEUM

## Lawrenceville Property Said to Have Changed Hands—Reported Price Over $50,000.

## NEW OWNER'S NAME A SECRET

The sale of the Coliseum building at Butler and Forty-fourth streets, Lawrenceville, was reported late yesterday afternoon. The property is 124x100 feet. It faces in Butler street. The upper story has been used as a hall and the lower one was devoted to store rooms. The sale was effected through the offices of Joseph M. Dixon, and the price, according to current reports, was between $50,000 and $60,000. Mr. Dixon refuses to divulge the name of the purchaser. Several years ago this piece of property passed into the hands of Thomas Beatty. At that time it was said Mr. Beatty had paid $43,000 for it. Within the course of a few weeks it is said Mr. Dixon will not only give out the name of the new owner, but also the plans for its future uses. One of the rumors connected with the sale yesterday was that some important improvements for that part of the Lawrenceville district were in contemplation.

It develops that the purchaser of the Dr. Leon Thurston property on Grandview avenue, Mt. Washington, was H. W. Joynes, and that he will erect an elegant apartment house upon it. This sale was announced some time ago, but not until yesterday was Mr. Joynes' name connected with the deal. The lot alone was sold for $10,000 and the plans for the improvement call for the expenditure of $40,000 more. As the new building will be adjacent to Peter Sullivan's new $35,000 residence, it is thought that an effort will be made to construct it in harmony with the location.

Mills-Slaugenhoupt Company have sold for J. M. Bingham to A. T. Wible a lot 66x84 feet, in Karl avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, with the consideration being $5,200, and three lots in East McKeesport to H. McMullin, for $1,200 each.

The sale of an 80-foot lot facing in Chaiswth avenue, Hazelwood, by Fred Stolte to M. F. Graham, has been closed by Earnest A. Hornberger.

Mary H. Moreland has sold to the Pennsylvania Company a 4-acre tract of land adjoining the track between Amberson and Aiken avenues, in the Twentieth ward, for $12,000. It is said that the property is to be used for track improvements.

J. W. Garland has purchased a brick residence in Thomas street, between Dallas and Lincoln avenues, Twenty-first ward, from H. O. Cameron.

The Thomson Realty Company sold for A. McAteer, a Liberty street commission merchant, the property at 1527-29 Bedford avenue, Eighth ward, near Gum street, to Louis and Morris Mentser, for $9,000. The improvements consist of five brick buildings, two of which face Bedford avenue. The lot is 36x111 feet deep.

P. C. Hare, with the Union Realty Company, has sold for the Hare estate to A. E. Briscoe lot No. 5, in the Hare plan at Osborne. The lot has a frontage of 60 feet in Beaver street, by a depth of 330 feet, for $2,500.

Through the office of John A. Sharp, William Walker sold lot No. 17, Ingleside plan, Ninth ward, to Mrs. Mary McAuley, for $1,100 cash. The lot has a frontage of 25 feet in Broad street.

Permits to build were issued yesterday as follows: Alexander Dempster, two-story brick veneer dwelling, at corner of Heath and Avondale plan, to cost $26,000; Edison W. Smith, two-story brick veneer dwelling, near Virginia avenue, to cost $2,500; and two others to cost $2,050; William T. Street, two-story brick veneer at 613 Aiken avenue, to cost $3,500; M. C. Straus, two-story frame dwelling at Taylor and Minerva streets, to cost $3,200.

### Transfers Recorded.

Bowser Lizzie M to E O Hall, Sept 21, Sterrett twp, 20x182, Blackadore st... $ 1,250
Lind Emanuel to C V Everly, March 17, 9th wd, McKeesport, 101x24, Orchard st... 2,225
Hellman Henry to F J Heilman, Dec 8, '03, Mt Oliver boro, 42x300, Anthony st... 2,150
McFarrin James to L Hufnagel, Sept 20, Shaler twp, 10 acres... 7,000
Sands Sarah E to F A Griffith, Oct 18, Calmont, 150x150, B st... 9,750
Marvis Max to Chas A Meals, Oct 8, Braddock, 50x113, Braddock ave... 13,500
Schulz Peter to L S Dietrich, Sept 23, Wertiaker, 145x145, Millvale st... 3,500
Thomas S S to H C Bowers, Sept 27, N Braddock, 23x115, Lobingier st... 2,200
Seibert Geo to Jno A Nebel, Sept 26, 6th wd, Ally, 12x84, Decatur st... 1,600
Barclay J A to Cath Maloney, Oct 12, 12th Wgh, 20x90, Arch st... 900
Phillips Wm H to H C Bowers, July 5, Braddock, 28x127, Carey ave... 700
Willock S M to Annie McCutcheon, Oct 7, 2d wd, Pgh, 25x105, Walloon st... 525
Campbell Thos Eto Geo Nesbit, Oct 20, Crafton, 50x145, Dinsmore ave... 10,000
Izenour F M to James Clinton, Sept 18, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x112, Hamilton ave... 4,400
Pritchard E Z to H J C Malone, Oct 11, 14th wd, Pgh, 9 lots, Oakland View plan... 10,000
Malone H J O to A S Bierly, Oct 11, 14th wd, Pgh, 9 lots, Oakland View plan... 10,000
Borland Harry L to L D Waddell, Oct 11, 14th wd, Pgh, 9 lots, Oakland view plan, ½ interest... 2,500
Nevin F T to A E Best, April 25, Sewickley, 8 acres... 80,000
McAuley J G B to S P Heckert, Aug 22, Leet twp, 330x195, Edgeworth ave... 20,000
Woodford Geo E to L Kuehnelsen, Jrr, Oct 17, Baldwin twp, 150x31, Hiland ave... 2,000
Fester J H to J Sherrer, Sr, Oct 14, Collier twp, 75x86, Whittle st... 900
West John W to Alex. Sproul, Sept 21, 3d wd, McKeesport, 23x92, 13th ave... 3,000
Calhoun K to Geo J. Mosner, Oct 6, Leet twp, 330x195, Edgeworth ave... 1,700
Irwin Geo J to H W Johnston, Oct 15, Mifflin twp, 152x127, Main st... 3,450

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

### PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Thursday, October 20, 1904.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $5 45@5 60; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 10@5 30; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4 90@5 00; tidy, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs, $4 15@4 35; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $3 25@3 75; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $2 25@3 00; choice heifers, $3 50@4 00; common to good, $2 00@3 25; common to good fat cows, $1 50@3 50; common to good fat cows, $1 50@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@3 50; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@40 00; common to fair, $15 00@30 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply fair and market steady; prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $4 15@4 30; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $3 80@4 10; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $3 25@3 60; culls and common, $1 00@2 00; spring lambs, $3 50@6 00; veal calves, $7 25@7 75; heavy and thin, $3 00@4 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 20 double decks; market steady; prime heavy, $5 50@5 55; medium, $5 50; heavy Yorkers, $5 45@5 50; light Yorkers, $5 20@5 30; pigs, $4 75@5 00; roughs, $4 00@5 00; stags, $3 00@4 00.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,400 head, including 700 head southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 25@5 50; fair to good, $4 00@5 25; western fed steers, $4 00@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 25; southern steers, $2 25@3 75; southern cows, $1 50@2 75; native cows, $1 50@3 50; native heifers, $2 00@4 50; bulls, $1 75@3 50; calves, $2 50@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; market steady to 5c higher; top, $5 27½; bulk of sales, $4 80@5 20; heavy, $5 15@5 27½; packers, $5 00@5 15; pigs and lights, $4 00@5 05. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head; market strong; native lambs, $4 25@5 50; native yearlings, $3 25@3 85; native ewes, $3 00@3 50; western lambs, $4 25@5 50; western yearlings, $3 60@4 00; western sheep, $3 25@3 85; stockers and feeders, $2 50@3 75.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000 head, including 4,000 head westerners; market steady to strong; good to prime steers, $5 50@7 00; poor to medium, $3 50@5 40; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 00; cows, $2 50@4 25; heifers, $2 00@2 50; canners, $1 25@2 25; bulls, $1 75@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 75; Texas fed steers, $4 50@6 00; western steers, $3 25@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000 head; market strong; mixed and butchers, $4 75@5 35; good to choice heavy, $5 15@5 40; rough heavy, $4 90@5 06; light, $4 75@5 22½; bulk of sales, $4 90@5 20. Sheep—Receipts, 30,000 head; sheep strong; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $3 75@4 50; fair to choice mixed, $3 00@3 75; native lambs, $3 50@5 85.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 215 head; feeling weak; no trading today; dressed beef slow but steady. Calves—Receipts, 985 head; very little quality; veals normal; grassers, $3 25; city dressed veals weak at 8@13c a pound; extra, 13½c a pound; country dressed, 8@11½c a pound; dressed grassers and fed calves, 4@6½c a pound. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,709 head; sheep quiet but steady; lambs very dull and 25c lower; few were wanted; sheep, $3 25@4 25; tops, $4 62½; lambs, $5 50@5 75; no strictly prime lambs sold; culls, $4 00; Canada lambs, $5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 2,393 head; lower; best state hogs, $5 50.

### Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of five points. European cables were steady, Brazilian receipts moderate and primary markets unchanged. There was also another private cable from Brazil practically reiterating previous reports concerning the coming crop, and following the call there was a continued good demand from Wall street sources with prices gradually working upward. The advance was aided later by a closing gain of a half franc at Havre and the local market closed steady at unchanged to 10@15 points. Sales were reported of 85,500 bags, including November at 6.80@6.85c, December, 6.90@7.00c; January, 7.00@7.05c; February, 7.10c; March, 7.20@7.25c; May, 7.35@7.45c; July, 7.50c, and September, 7.65@7.75c. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8½c; mild quiet.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal 96 test, 4½c; molasses sugar, 3½c. Refined unsettled.

# GROUNDHOGS IN LOCAL MARKET FIND READY SALE

## Epicureans Who Know the Animal Buy Plenty of Them—All Produce Is Dull.

All market lines were dull yesterday. Even the cut in sugar failed to stimulate the wholesale grocery trade, although a fair day's business was recorded. Still it was nothing exceptional and the men along the street generally complained that business was dull.

The newest thing along the street is nice fat groundhogs, which are selling at 40 to 50 cents each. They are the only game now in the market and there seems to be a considerable demand for them. It is only the man who loves the woods and has spent much of his time there who knows how really delicious the groundhog is for eating and it is only such who know how to cook the animal. The average cook, even though she be a French chef, would make groundhog taste like a mensgerie instead of what it should. There are plenty of them coming in and they are finding a ready sale.

Eggs are still holding up and the prospect is that they will not suffer much if a drop. The hens are not laying well this season for some reason, and egg dealers feel a trifle glum over the prospects. There is plenty of demand for first-class fresh eggs, but the market has difficulty supplying it. At the same time the supply of storage and held fresh is such that prices on the best stock cannot be pushed up to what they really should be. The east is running off many carloads of storage stock and it is thought this will relieve the situation in the near future.

Poultry is not the sale it should be at this season of the year and prices show no variation. Plenty of live and dressed chickens are coming in just now, but it is thought the future will show a stringency in the market. The past summer was bad for chicken raisers, as it was wet and cold. This is expected to have a material effect in the market about two or three weeks from now.

Receipts of fruit and produce in this city yesterday were as follows: 2 cars apples, 1 car, making 60 cars; bananas, 8 cars, making 12 cars; cabbage, 5 cars, making 31 cars; grapes, 2 cars, making 34 cars; onions, 1 car, making 19 cars; peaches, 1 car, making 6 cars; pears, 1 car, making 18 cars; potatoes, 16 cars, making 92 cars; sweet potatoes, 3 cars, making 14 cars; miscellaneous, 3 cars, making 16 cars.

### HAY AND GRAIN RECEIPTS.

Receipts of hay, grain and feed in the Pittsburgh market yesterday were as follows: Pittsburgh & Lake Erie—7 cars oats, 2 cars hay. Baltimore & Ohio—11 cars hay, 6 cars oats, 1 car feed. Pennsylvania lines—2 cars hay, 15 cars oats, 1 car corn, 4 cars rye, 2 cars feed.

Oats shaded off a little in the local markets yesterday and rye went up a half cent. Corn is still in good demand and the supply only moderate. Corn is stiffening up and an advance in price is looked for soon. Oats look like a general decline as the fast movement to have all it can handle in the near future. Hay is still in good demand for the best and for good clean clover, but the lower grades have to be pushed to get them on the market. Straw is growing stronger and there is a heavy demand for good clean rye. Prices on that commodity moved up yesterday and higher prices are looked for.

New No. 1 timothy ..$12.75@13.25
No. 2 ..$11.75@12.25
No. 1 clov..$12.00@12.50
No. 1 mix..$12.00@12.50
Straw, oat..$7.00@7.50
do wheat..$7.00@7.50
do rye..$12.25@12.75
No. 2 white oats ..35½@35¾c
No. 3 oats ..34½@35c
No. 4 oats ..33½@34c
White middlings, No. 1, ton..$24.50@25.00
No. 2 middlings $23.50@24.00
do brown..$21.50@22.50
Bran, ton..$19.50@20.00
Wheat, No. 2 red, nominal
at ..$1.05@1.08
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ...61½@62c
High mixed ..60@60½c
No. 2 yellow ear ..63½@64c
No. 2 rye, western ...90½@91c

### BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints ..24@24½c
Tubs ..23@23½c
Ohio cream...21@22c
Dairy ..17@18c
Country roll ..14@15c
Cheese, N. Y., full cream, new 11½@11¾c
do Ohio crm 10½@11c
do ¾ creams, new ..9@9½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs ..14@15c
do block ...14@14½c
do imported 27@27½c
do Limburger, new...13@13½c
do 5-lb brk.13½@13¾c
Neufchatel, per box...90c@$1.00
Shelford, box ..85c
Eggs, selected ..24c
do candled ..22@23c
do at mark ...21@22c
do storage...21@22c

### DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags ..10@12c
do 25-lb boxes ..10½@12½c
Apples, bulk...6¾@7c
do 1-lb cartons ..7½@8c
Peaches ..7@10¼c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg..7¼@7½c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes..6@6½c
do Ondarta Val. ..8@8½c
do Cal. Val. ..7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs ..6¼@6¾c
Prunes ..3@8c

### PROVISIONS.

Hams, 18 lbs and up..11¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs...11c
Over 10 to 14 lbs.11¾c
10 lbs and under.11¾c
Skinned ..12¼c
Boneless boiled....13c
California ..9c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut ..9¾c
do skinned ..10¼c
Ribs, 6 to 20 lbs.12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs.11½c
do back strips.11½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. ..12¾c
do 10 to 12 lbs.12¼c
Breakfast bacon, back strips...11¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears ..9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. ..9¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs....10c
do under 16 lbs...10c
Dry salt, smoked sides, extra short clears ..10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. ..10¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs...11c
do under 16 lbs...11c
Lard, pure, tierces ....8½@9c

### PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bulk, bu, store...55@60c
bu, track...50@55c
Virginia, sweets, bbls...$1.50@1.75
Jersey sweets, bbls. ...$2.75@3.00
Onions, bbls. ...$2.00@2.25
do, bu ..75@85c
Spanish, per crate ..$1.25@1.35
Carrots, bbl.$1.50@1.75
do hamp'rs.90c@$1.00
Parsnips, bbl ....$1.75@2.00
Cucumbers, Boston, do ...$1.00@1.25
Cabbage, bbl ....75c@$1.00
do ton...$12.00@14.00
do Savoy, bbl ....$1.00@1.25
Lettuce, baskets ....20@25c
Green beans.$1.75@2.00
Lima beans, basket ....50@60c
do qt.....15@16c
Celery, Kalamazoo, doz.....10@15c
do Ohio .....20@30c
Brussels sprouts, quart .....15@20c
Spinach, ½-bu b'skets.20@25c
Honey, new ...15@16c
extra fancy ....17c
Beets, bbls...$1.75@2.00
Popcorn, lb .....4@6c
Eggplant, bush ..$1.50@1.75
Squash, marrow, fair, bbl.$1.25@1.50
do Hubbard, bbls. ....$1.25@1.50
Rutabagas ...$1.10@1.15
Peppers, bu....55@60c
do bbls....$1.25@1.50
Mushrooms, per lb .....25@35c
Cauliflower, per bu basket ...$1.25@1.50
do ½-bu b'skt.50@60c
Garlic, lb .....7@8c
Cranberries, per crate.$1.75@2.25
Horseradish, bbl. ....$5.50@6.00
Turnips, ¼-bu chips ....40@50c
do bu ....75c@$1.00
do bbl ....$1.75@2.00

### CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie.$1.10
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C ...$1.65@2.25
do Maryland ...$1.45@1.65
do California, Y. C ...$2.00@2.00
Corn, fancy.$1.10@1.20
do stan....90c@$1.00
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.50@2.75
Lima beans.$1.25@1.45
do soaked ...75c@80c
String beans, 2-lb .70c
do 3-lb ..95c
Stringless beans ..$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat ....88@90c
do early June ....92@95c
do soaked ...85@90c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans..$2.15@2.25
Pineapples .$1.25@2.55
Plums, California ..$1.55@1.60
Raspberries ....85@95c
Gooseberries ....85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy ...$1.15@1.35
do standard...80@85c
do gal. ...$2.50@2.55
Succotash, 1-lb, fancy ...$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato se ...75@95c
Salmon, doz...95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats ....$1.00@1.30
1-lb flats.$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls ...$1.85@2.10
Chipped beef.$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans ....$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled, $1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¾s$2.60
do French$9.50@18.50

### HIDES.

Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 66 lbs.....10c
do No. 2 ....8c
Cows and light hides.8c
Calfskins, No. 1....11c

### FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas ...$4.25@4.50
Oranges, St. Michaels, ....$4.00@4.50
Late Valencias ....$4.00@4.30
Jamaicas, per box.$3.00@3.25
Cocoanuts, bags ...$3.50@4.00
do doz ....65@75c
Figs, cartons...75@80c
Figs, layers ....8@12c
do washed, stuffed, doz...$2.25
Dates, stuffed ....18c
Bananas 1st.$1.50@1.75
do 2nds ..$1.25@1.50
Pineapples, crate ....$3.00@3.50
Grapes, California, crates .....$1.75
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb b'sket.15@16c
Niagara grapes, 4-lb b'sket..10@11c
do 8-lb b'sket.20@21c
do Delaware, 4-lb b'sket..13@14c
Grape fruit..$5.00@5.50
Japanese persimmons. .$2.50@3.00
Apples, ½ bu ..25@35c
Choice ....$1.25@1.50
Fancy ....$2.00@2.25
Bulk, bbl...75c@$1.00
Peaches, 6-basket carriers .$2.00@2.25
10-lb b'skets.40@50c
20-lb b'skets.75@80c
bu bkts.$2.00@2.50
Plums, Cal., crates ....55c@$1.00
Damsons, ½-bu b'skts.40@50c
Limes, per 100 ..75c@$1.00
Pears, per crate, Fancy ...$2.00@2.50
10-lb b'skets.20@25c
20-lb b'skets.40@50c
Keifers, Ohio and N. Y., bbls ....$2.50@2.75
Bartletts, bbl.....$4.00@5.00
Quinces, bbls. ....$4.50@4.75
½-bu ....50@75c

### POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens .....11@12c
do roosters ....7@8c
do old turkeys.14@16c
do old ducks.11@12c
do spring chickens ...12@13c
do geese .....8@9c
do spring ducks .....14@15c
Dressed hens ...13@15c
do roosters ...12@13c
do turkeys ...20@21c
do spring chickens ...16@17c
do Long Island ducklings .....20c
do capon, lb...28@27c
Squab, doz .....$4.00
do No. 2 .....$3.75
Ducks, ruddy ....$1.75
do red head.$1.75@3.00
do canvasback ....$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz .....$5.50
do black plover.$4.00
do grouse ....$2.50
do partridges ....$2.25
English pheasants, per pair ....$3.25
Reed birds, doz..$1.25
Snappers, per lb.9@10c

### SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$26.00
do half bbl....$14.50
do quar, bbl....$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl...$20.00
do half bbls ..$10.50
do quar, bbls ...$5.25
do 20-lb pails ...$2.40
do 10-lb pails ..$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl....$16.00
do half bbl....$8.50
do quar, bbls ...$4.35
do 20-lb pails ...$1.90
do 10-lb pails ...$1.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs .....$3.35
do 50-lb ....$1.85
do 10-lb .....50c

### NUTS.

Filberts .....10c
Eng. walnuts ...12@15c
do domestic.75c@$1.00
S. S. almonds ...16@17c
Tarr. almonds ...10@11c
Mixed .....10@11c
Brazil .....9c
Dried Italian chestnuts .....7c
do domestic, per lb.....0@8c
Shellbarks, bu .....$1.50@1.75
Pecans .....10c
Peanuts, fancy roasted .....$1.60
do choice .....$1.30

### SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small.$7.50@7.75
do mammoth ...$7.00@7.85
do crimson.$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch.$10.25@12.00
Alsike .....$8.00@9.00
Alfalfa .....$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western ...$1.25@1.50
Southern ...$1.75@1.80
Cress, Hungarian .....90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb...18@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu. .....$1.25@1.50
do red top, 14-lb bu.$1.10@1.60
Timothy ....$1.45@1.65

## BUSINESS IMPROVING.

### Wall Street Journal Reports Marked Change for the Better in Pittsburgh's Financial Conditions.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The Wall Street Journal today quotes "a Pittsburgh authority" as follows:

"There has been a marked improvement in Pittsburgh in business and financial conditions the past few months. Pittsburgh for the first time in months are now showing increases, the gain last week having been over $4,000,000. Prices of active stocks have recovered from 10 to over 20 points for such issues as Pittsburgh Coal preferred, Manufacturers Light and Heat, Crucible Steel preferred, National Fire Proofing preferred, etc.

"The September building permit made the greatest record for any single month since the establishment of the bureau of building inspection in Pittsburgh. The permits taken out numbered 311, representing an aggregate cost of $5,077,910, against 388 permits, aggregating $1,928,645 in August."

### Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Butter steady and unchanged; receipts, 5,182 pkgs. Cheese quiet and unchanged; receipts, 6,681 pkgs. Eggs firm and unchanged; receipts, 6,545 pkgs.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Butter firm; creameries, 15@21c; dairies, 13@18c. Eggs steady at mark, cases included, 16½@18¼c; prime firsts, 20½c; extras, 23c. Cheese steady at 10@10½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20.—Butter firm and in good demand; extra western creamery, 22c; do near-by prints, 24c. Eggs firm and active; near-by firsts, 21@22c at mark; western do, 21@22c. Cheese quiet but steady; New York full cream, fancy, 10¼@10½c; do choice, 10c; do fair to good, 9¼@9¾c.

# INCREASED RECEIPTS CAUSE WHEAT DECLINE

## Corn and Oats Also Closed Lower in the Chicago Grain Market.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Notwithstanding liberal receipts northwest and easier cables a firm undertone prevailed in the wheat market at the opening. December was up 1⅛@1¼c to 88@88½c, at $1 14⅛@1 15⅜, while May was 1⅛@1¼c lower to ½c higher at $1 13⅜@1 14⅛. The initial firmness was due mainly to reported scarcity of milling wheat. A sharp break in prices at Minneapolis, however, soon brought out heavy sales here by pit traders and commission houses, the impression apparently being that the lower prices in the northwest foreshadowed a still greater increase in the country movement in that section. In consequence sentiment for a time was rather bearish. The declining tendency was checked by an active demand from shorts and some of the big bull traders. Following a rally at Minneapolis the market here also became strong. December advancing to $1 16¼. May sold up to $1 14⅞. On a sharp break in corn about this time the wheat market was subjected to heavy realizing sales, as a result of which sentiment became quite weak. Selling pressure was increased by larger arrivals at Kansas City and St. Louis and by exceedingly small exports for the day. The market was further weakened by the execution of stop loss orders and by a slackened demand for cash wheat at all outside points. The low point on December for the day was reached at $1 14¼, and on May at $1 12⅞. Some recovery was made on covering by shorts, but the close was weak, with December at $1 14⅝@1 14¾. Final quotations on May were at $1 13⅜.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 7,506 bushels, the exports consisting entirely of flour. Primary receipts were 1,050,700 bushels, compared with 1,031,800 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 578 cars, against 827 cars last week and 575 cars a year ago.

Firm cables and wet weather in portions of the west caused an active demand for corn early in the session resulting in a strong market. Sentiment suddenly became extremely weak, however, in consequence of general liquidation of December. The selling was due to an announcement that free offers of new corn, grading No. 2, had been received at Kansas City. During the last half hour the market rallied slightly on covering, but predictions of clear, cool weather for tomorrow prevented any decided advance. December opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 49⅛@49¼c, sold between 48c and 49¾@49¼c, and closed at 48¾c. Local receipts were 79 cars, with 3 of contract grade.

The action of wheat and corn was the dominating influence in the oats market. Commission houses were fair buyers on an early advance, but sold out later in the day. December opened about unchanged to ⅛c higher at 29@29¼c, ranged between 28¾c and 29¾@29½c, and closed at 28¾c. Local receipts were 114 cars.

Provisions were steady on fair support by pit traders. Trading was very quiet, partly as a result of a scarcity of offerings. At the close January pork was up 5c at $12 40. Lard was down 2½c at $7 17½. Ribs were unchanged at $6 47½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow—Wheat, 92 cars; corn, 104 cars; oats, 104 cars; hogs, 14,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yesterday's Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT | | | | | |
| No. 2. | | | | | |
| Oct. .. | | | | 1 13⅝ | 1 14½ |
| Dec. .. | 1 15⅝ | 1 16⅛ | 1 14½ | 1 14⅞ | 1 15½ |
| May .. | 1 14⅛ | 1 14⅞ | 1 12¾ | 1 13⅝ | 1 13¼ |
| July .. | 99 | 1 00 | 98¾ | 99 | 99¼ |
| CORN. | | | | | |
| No. 2. | | | | | |
| Oct. .. | | | | 50¾ | 52 |
| Dec. .. | 49⅝ | 49⅞ | 48 | 48⅝ | 49½ |
| May .. | 45⅞ | 46⅜ | 45¾ | 45⅝ | 45⅝ |
| OATS. | | | | | |
| No. 2. | | | | | |
| Oct. .. | | | | 29 | 29¼ |
| Dec. .. | 29¼ | 29½ | 28⅝ | 28⅝ | 29 |
| May .. | 31⅛ | 31½ | 30⅞ | 30⅝ | 31¼ |
| MESS PORK. | | | | | |
| Oct. .. | 11 05 | 11 05 | 10 85 | 10 95 | 10 90 |
| Jan. .. | 12 35 | 12 47½ | 12 32½ | 12 40 | 12 30 |
| May .. | 12 40 | 12 50 | 12 35 | 12 35 | 12 35 |
| LARD. | | | | | |
| Oct. .. | 7 25 | 7 25 | 7 22½ | 7 22½ | 7 22½ |
| Jan. .. | 7 20 | 7 22½ | 7 15 | 7 17½ | 7 20 |
| May .. | 7 27½ | 7 32½ | 7 25 | 7 27½ | 7 27½ |
| SHORT RIBS. | | | | | |
| Oct. .. | 7 30 | 7 30 | 7 15 | 7 15 | 7 35 |
| Jan. .. | 6 45 | 6 52½ | 6 45 | 6 50 | 6 47½ |
| May .. | 6 57½ | 6 65 | 6 57½ | 6 60 | 6 57½ |

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour was firm; No. 3 spring wheat, $1 12@1 17; No. 3, $1 05@1 15; No. 2 red, $1 17½@1 19½; No. 2 corn, 62¾c; No. 2 yellow, 58½; No. 2 oats, 29c; No. 3 whits, 28½@31½c; No. 2 rye, 78c; good feeding barley, 37c; fair to choice malting, 40@52c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 10½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 17½; mess pork, per bbl, $10 95@11 00; lard, per 100 lbs, $7 22½@7 25; short ribs sides (loose), $7 20@7 37½; short clear sides (boxed), $7 37½@7 62½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 29½; clover, contract grade, $12 25.

| Articles. | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls | 32,800 | 28,400 |
| Wheat, bu | 108,000 | 114,400 |
| Corn, bu | 90,200 | 292,000 |
| Oats, bu | 175,500 | 100,500 |
| Rye, bu | 11,000 | 17,500 |
| Barley, bu | 118,000 | 83,000 |

| | Car lots. | Estimates. | Ago. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | A year |
| Wheat | 35 | 92 | 103 |
| Corn | 79 | 104 | 287 |
| Oats | 114 | 104 | 192 |
| Hogs | 18,000 | 14,000 | ... |

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Flour—Receipts, 18,-981 barrels; exports, 127 barrels; sales, 3,100 packages; market firm and higher, with a slow business; Minnesota patents, $4 10@4 50; Minnesota bakers, $4 00@5 00; winter patents, $5 00@5 00; winter straights, $5 30@5 90. Rye flour firm; sales, 275 barrels. Buckwheat flour quiet. Cornmeal barely steady; kiln dried, $3 00@3 20. Rye nominal. Barley firm. Wheat—Receipts, 17,800 bushels; sales, 4,300,000 bushels futures; spot irregular. No. 2 red, $1 21½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 25 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 08 f. o. b. afloat. Options opened steady and early in the session displayed considerable firmness on December manipulation, coupled with bullish southwest cash news. Later the market broke sharply with corn and although finally a trifle steadier on covering, left off ⅛@⅜c net lower; May, $1 15⅛@1 15⅜; closed $1 14½; December, $1 17⅜@1 19⅛; closed $1 18⅛. Corn—Receipts, 93,750 bushels; sales, 10,000 bushels futures, 6,000 bushels spot; spot easy; No. 2 nominal elevator and 57½c afloat; No. 2 yellow, 61½c; No. 2 white, 58½c f. o. b. afloat. Option market was firm at first, but eventually broke with the west, closing ⅜@⅝c net lower; May closed 61¾c; December, 55@57½c; closed 56½c. Oats—Receipts, 107,700 bushels; spot easy; mixed oats, 29 to 32 lbs., 34@35c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 37@39c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 34½@36c. Options nominal.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.—Wheat lower; No. 2 red cash elevator, $1 16½; December, $1 16⅝; May, $1 16⅝@1 17; No. 2 hard, $1 13@1 15. Corn—No. 2 cash, 51c; December, 44½c; May, 48⅝c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 30c; track, 30½c; May, 31¼c; No. 2 white, 32c.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 20.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 20; No. 2 northern, $1 16@1 18; May, $1 13½ bid. Rye—No. 1, 84½c. Barley—No. 2, 55c; sample, 50@53½c. Corn—No. 3, 55@56c; May, 45⅜@45½c bid.

DULUTH, MINN., Oct. 20.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, $1 21⅜; No. 1 northern, $1 19⅝; No. 2 northern, $1 15⅛; December, $1 16⅜; May, $1 20⅜ bid.

TOLEDO, Oct. 20.—Cloverseed—Cash and October, $7 45; December, $7 47½; March, $7 57½; prime Alsike, $8 00; prime timothy, $1 25.

# COKE BUSINESS SHOWS A PERCEPTIBLE SLUMP

## Rather Unsatisfactory Conditions Are Reported for the Week in the Connellsville District.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Oct. 20.—There is a slump in the coke business in the Connellsville region. Ovens are being blown out throughout the region, the yards contain thousands of tons of coke and the sidings are filled with loaded cars, with no destination. At the Davidson works of the H. C. Frick Coke company in Connellsville there are 2,100 tons of coke in the stock piles and 46 loaded cars have been standing on the siding all this week awaiting orders for shipment. This condition prevails throughout the region. Since the resumption of many plants after the long spell of idleness the coke trade has been slow and uncertain. Prices have been slow and unsteady and but few contracts have been made by the furnace men. The summary of the Connellsville region for the week ending October 15 shows 23,187 ovens in the region, with 16,159 in blast and 7,037 idle. The week's changes put 2,264 ovens down out in the Connellsville region proper and 82 in the Masontown coke field.

The production of the Connellsville region last week amounted to 206,566 tons, a decrease of 16,112 tons as compared with the production the week previous. The shipments from the region amounted to 9,011 cars, an increase of 335 cars over the week previous to it. Shipments for the week were distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh and river points, 3,166 cars, a decrease of 16 cars. To points west of Pittsburgh, 442 cars, an increase of 366 cars. To points east of Everson, 1,480 cars, a gain of 165 cars. The shipments from the Masontown coke field last week amounted to 1,878 cars, an increase of 90 cars. The shipments for the week were distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh and river points, 363 cars, a decrease of 27 cars; to points west of Pittsburgh, 1,165 cars, a gain of 117 cars.

# Lower Southwest Shows Nothing Better Than Very Light Pumpers

Nothing better than light pumpers were reported from the lower southwest fields and not many of any kind. On Bartholomew run, west of Mannington, Marion county, the Delmar Oil Company's No. 1 on the Hays farm has dropped to 300 barrels a day. The South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 1 on the E. D. Ice farm into the fifth sand and has a gasser. The same company has drilled No. 17 on the Blackshere farm into the fourth sand and has developed a gasser.

In the Fairview district the South Penn company's No. 4 on the Wilson heirs' farm has filled up 3,600 feet with fluid from the fourth sand. In the Littleton district, Wetzel county, the South Penn has drilled its test on the A. T. White farm through the fourth and Gordon and has a duster and will abandon the hole. On the east side of the Folsom district, in Harrison county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 13 on the G. W. Talkington farm 40 feet into the Gordon and the hole has filled up 1,500 feet with fluid.

In the same district No. 8 on the M. P. Dye farm is 10 feet in the stray and has no show of oil or gas. In the Salem district the South Penn has drilled its No. 12 on the M. T. Williams farm 10 feet into the stray and has developed nothing but a light gas pressure. In the Pine Grove district, Wetzel county, the South Penn company has drilled No. 3 on the M. Jackson farm 21 feet into the stray and has a good gasser. In the same district No. 2 on the D. Lambert has been drilled 15 feet into the stray sand and has found a light gas pressure, but no oil.

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# INJUNCTION UPON ALLEGHENY CITY

## Allegheny County Light Company Protests Against the Cutting of Its Wires.

### POLE TAX CAUSE OF TROUBLE

The Allegheny County Light Company yesterday obtained a preliminary injunction upon the city of Allegheny and Public Works Director E. J. McIlvain restraining them from interfering with the plaintiff's wires in Allegheny. The proceedings result from the attempt on the part of the defendants to remove the company's wires from poles, and the restraining order was secured to prevent Director McIlvain from cutting more wires, as it is alleged he has threatened to do. The company recites that it entered upon streets and alleys in Allegheny by the consent of councils in 1881 and has continued exercising its rights up to the present time. From time to time, it is alleged, the city officials removed certain poles of the plaintiffs, substituting their own poles, on which they placed the company's wires. This arrangement was mutual and satisfactory to the company. However, it is alleged, since then the city has denied the company the use of such poles and on August 25, 1904, it is alleged, the director cut down two miles of the company's wires on East street.

Director McIlvain said last night that the wires had been cut because the company had refused to pay the pole tax.

An opinion was handed down by Judge Fraser directing that an injunction restraining the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and Charles Sims Company from interfering with the Streets Run road at Willock until a final hearing in the case. The court says it is not sure that the proposed re-location of the road would be more dangerous than the present location. The part of the injunction pertaining to the road at Rand station is modified so as to allow the railroad to carry out its work.

Judge Shafer refused to grant the injunction asked for by Mrs. Eliza Thaw Edwards against the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad Company to restrain that company from using smoke-producing coal in its engines and from using whistles or other noise-producing devices for signalling purposes. The Junction railroad was given a franchise by the city on condition that it would use smokeless fuel and make no noise. This was in deference to residents near the line of the road. For years the provisions of the ordinance have been disregarded. Mrs. Edwards brought suit to restrain the company. The court says the provisions of the contract were entered into between the city and the railroad company and the violation of its provisions is a condition which only the city can take advantage of. It was contended by the defendant that the plaintiff sought to deprive it of the only usual and ordinary means of making steam. The court did not deem it necessary to express an opinion as to whether or not this was correct.

Judge Frazer has an opinion in the suit of Robert Klein against the Pennsylvania Savings and Loan association, directs that $1,001 75, collected above the legal rate of interest, be returned to Klein.

In the suits of William A. Sipe and John S. Ferguson against the borough of Aspinwall, actions to recover fees of $1,000 each for participating in equity proceedings as counsel for the borough, the defendants deny there was any agreement by which the attorneys were to receive anything additional to the original fees of $500 each. The borough admits that it settled with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company on the basis alleged by the plaintiff, and by which the borough received about $65,000 compensation.

A decree was granted in the divorce suit of Francesca Chiavolanzo against Guiseppe Chiavolanzo, on the grounds of cruel and barbarous treatment. In this case the husband developed a habit of nightly calling his wife up stairs and whipping her, without offering any explanation of his conduct. A decree was granted in the divorce suit of Flora Rumple against William F. Rumple.

The following wills have been probated: Eugene Achille Laurain, late of New England, leaves a $4,200 estate to his wife Marie. Elizabeth M. Davis, late of Pittsburgh, leaves an $800 estate to members of her family. Thomas W. Heakin, late of Pittsburgh, leaves an unestimated estate to two children. William Johnson, late of Fair Haven, leaves a $1,100 estate to his wife, Elizabeth Johnson.

M. K. McMullin & Co. were awarded a verdict of $60,159 58 against William Reid in a suit to recover a balance due on a stock transaction.

These executions were issued: Louis Heldman, assignee vs. Charles Hallet, $2,773 31; George M. Koser vs. Clifford C. Herr, $2,102 30; Dessa M. James use, vs. Charles R. Kee, $2,217 94; Frederick Maul vs. Thomas Carter, $1,417 54.

In criminal court Samuel Kennedy was sent to jail for five days, and Martin Macalatzy was fined $5 and costs for assault.

Judge Rodgers revoked the detective license of John B. Kirk, which, it was alleged, was being used by the Joy Detective Service. Joy was refused a detective license some time ago.

Mrs. Vene Lute of Duquesne was convicted in the United States district court of counterfeiting. Alexander Duncan and the woman's 15-year-old son pleaded guilty to a similar charge. Duncan gave testimony that was damaging to the woman, but the prosecution would not allow the boy to testify against his mother. When the testimony had finished the woman sprang to her feet in front of the jury and in pitiful tones asked for mercy, saying she knew the case was against her. The jury retired and returned a verdict of guilty in about five minutes.

George Davis, charged with tearing down a letter box in Jeannette, pleaded no defense and sentence was suspended. William R. Hassett pleaded guilty to placing a letter in the postoffice in attempting to execute a scheme to defraud. William G. Shaffer pleaded guilty to unlawfully taking letters from the postoffice at Jeannette which were addressed to the Pennsylvania Rubber Company. Arthur Lowry pleaded guilty to having and attempting to pass counterfeit coins.

Benjah Davis was called to answer a charge of mailing an obscene letter, but failed to answer. The bond of $500 was ordered forfeited.

The amendments to the plaintiff's bill in equity, in the suit of Ernest W. Beach, trustee, and D. F. Smith against Mary A. and J. Henry Jahn were allowed to be altered and filed. The amendments include a recital of Jahn's bankruptcy proceedings, in which Smith is a creditor and that Beach was appointed a trustee in the case. The decree making Jahn a bankrupt was made and proceedings are now pending to have it revoked on grounds that it was fraudulently secured. The court is asked to annul a deed of Mary A. Jahn and to restrain her from encumbering the property in any way pending a hearing in the case.

A petition in bankruptcy was entered by Adam G. Young, a merchant of Vandergrift Heights, Westmoreland county. He gives his liabilities as $11,326 12 and his assets as $7,881 87.

Another case in which heavy damages for personal injuries figure was argued in the supreme court. Edward Quigley, an oil inspector, was injured in a wreck at Silverville on March 19, 1903, his spine being affected. He brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the Butler county court and the jury gave him $21,440, awarding $20,050 for pain, suffering and loss of earning power, and $1,390 for expenses in traveling. The verdict was based on testimony that Quigley had a salary of $2,800, and made about $1,000 additional yearly. The railroad company appealed on the ground that the verdict was excessive and also took exceptions to the charge and rulings of the court.

The Washington county list was finished. The most interesting case is the appeal of the trustees of the Chartiers Presbyterian church in the estate of Thomas Allison, deceased. Allison was unmarried and shortly before his death in 1902, made a will, bequeathing the bulk of his estate, with about $60,000, to the children of a brother. In the previous wills, made in 1889 and 1894, he had left 100 shares of Exchange National bank stock to the church. The trustees of the church brought the suit to set the last will aside, on the ground that Allison was not fit mentally to make a will At the date of the last document. They lost in the lower court and then appealed.

The Allegheny county list, which will be taken up Monday, was prepared yesterday.

### Cuban Congress Closes Fruitless Session.

HAVANA, Oct. 20.—After seven months of fruitless sittings, the session of the Cuban congress closed tonight. The fight in the house over seats continued throughout the session, and resulted in the seating of nearly all the moderate coalitions contestants. The Nationalists, however, succeeded nearly always in breaking quorums because the Moderate majority were rarely able to master their full membership.

### Victory for Westinghouse.

The Westinghouse Airbrake Company has secured a decision in the United States circuit court of the southern district of New York over the New York Airbrake Company in a suit for infringement of patents. As the suit has been pending since 1901 the judge ordered the defendants to pay the local company $138,3?7 40, which, with interest and costs, brings the amount up to about $140,000.

### Manufacturers Are Arriving.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Several German and French steel manufacturers arrived today on the Deutschland to attend the meetings of the iron and steel institute. Among them are Julius Magery, for 26 years director of a big steel company at Rothe-Erde, near Aix La Chapelle, and his son, Maurice Mayery, J. Francois Timmermann and E. Dreux.

## WOMEN WORKING FOR THE SICK AND HELPLESS OF THE TWO CITIES

Ladies of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association in the Free Dispensary Building.

In answer to a call from their president, Mrs. Theodore Stonerod, members of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday association held an all-day sewing bee in the Free Dispensary building yesterday. The ladies reported with their needlework in the morning and spent the entire day working up material into useful and essential requirements for local hospital institutions. The result of the efforts of the day will be presented to the hospitals as soon as it can be properly distributed.

# CULBERSON ATTACKED PRESIDENT ON PANAMA

## "The Spirit of Lawlessness Led Him in This Disgraceful Affair," Declared in Speech.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Under the auspices of the Reform club, a Democratic mass meeting was held tonight at Carnegie hall, at which Senator Charles A. Culberson of Texas and others spoke.

Senator Culberson devoted the greater portion of his remarks to a discussion of the Panama canal, going into detail with the revolution by which Panama became an independent state and the subsequent negotiations which resulted in the canal treaty. Alluding to what he termed "the spirit of lawlessness which led the president, in this disgraceful affair" he declared that the transaction "above all others in his career strikingly typifies his contempt of all legal restraint and his insatiable passion for personal and arbitrary government."

### VANDERBILT PAYS TAXES.

#### Voluntarily Goes Before Assessors of Town to Which He Removes and Has Properly Assessed.

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Reginald C. Vanderbilt has become a citizen of Portsmouth, in which is located his elaborate country place known as Sandy Point. He recently went before the tax assessors of the town and had his name placed upon the list of those paying taxes on personal property.

Upon his statement his personal property valuation was placed at $30,000. He had previously been assessed in the town on real estate for $90,000. Alfred C. Vanderbilt, who some time ago became a citizen of the town of Portsmouth, is assessed for $90,000 real and $204,000 personal property.

### SOCIAL BOWLERS AHEAD.

#### Win Two Games from Duquesne on Foreign Alleys.

The Social bowling team won two games from the Duquesnes on the Duquesne alleys last night. Scores:

| Duquesne— | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| McLaughlin | 177 | 148 | 148 |
| Painter | 152 | 111 | |
| Sproull | 143 | | 155 |
| Spotts | 198 | 138 | 152 |
| Kneipley | 186 | 149 | 149 |
| Couch | | 112 | 130 |
| Totals | 736 | 658 | 714 |
| Socials— | | | |
| Vey | 203 | 181 | 157 |
| Kunkel | 164 | 171 | 184 |
| Downey | 160 | 198 | 144 |
| Seusa | 168 | 148 | 158 |
| Gerstbein | 188 | 187 | 193 |
| Totals | 883 | 795 | 836 |

### WABASH TERMINAL BONDS SOLD IN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20.—(Special.)—More than $1,000,000 of the new Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal railway 4 per cent first mortgage bonds have been sold in Philadelphia. Round blocks were bought by the larger institutions. The bonds were brought out by Vermilye & Co., and are being sold here by Verner & Co. The price has advanced to 90 and interest.

### Teachers Hear Interesting Addresses.

WAYNESBURG, PA., Oct. 20.—At the teachers' institute today an exhibition of wireless telegraphy was given by Prof. Edwin Lee of Alliance, O., who also delivered a lecture upon "Intelligent Patriotism," and Dr. Lincoln Hulley of Lewisburg upon "Education and Life." Addresses were delivered by President A. F. Lewis of Waynesburg college and Erasmus Wilson, the "Quiet Observer" of The Pittsburgh Gazette. Tonight Strickland W. Gillilan of the Baltimore American delivered his lecture, "Sunshine and Awkwardness."

### Col. Duff Chosen President.

REYNOLDSVILLE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The annual reunion of the One Hundred and Fifth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, known as the "Wild cat" regiment, was held here today and the following officers were elected: President, Col. Levi Bird Duff of Pittsburgh; vice president, Thomas K. Hastings, Punxsutawney; recording secretary, Capt. L. A. Craig of Brookville; secretary, Mr. Neale of Punxsutawney. Punxsutawney secured the reunion for 1905.

### Robbed by Highwaymen.

EVERETT, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—John Elbin, a huckster, was held up and robbed by two highwaymen two miles from Robinsonville this morning. The men secured a gold watch and $155 in money. Theodore Mearkle and William Layton were suspected and warrants were sworn out for them. Layton was arrested and committed to jail. Mearkle escaped to the mountains.

### Wanted to Retain Horse.

John Moore, who drives an ash wagon on the South Side, was fined $10 and costs by Alderman Oyer, on a charge of cruelty to animals, preferred by Humane Agent H. S. Shaw. Moore is alleged to have driven a horse unfit for work. Alderman Oyer offered to remit the fine if Moore allowed the animal to be killed. He refused at first, but after being returned to the lockup consented that the horse be shot.

*Pale, thin, nervous, depressed, weak, tired out?*

Ask your doctor about taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for this bad condition of your blood. If he says, "All right," then take it. If not, then don't take it. We feel perfectly safe, for we know what doctors say about this family medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

# ASSETS OF REPUBLIC REACH $75,500,000

## Balance of Seven Millions Remains from the Recent Bond Issue to Make Extensions.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The following statement has been made public by Alexis W. Thompson, president of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, supplementary to his annual report to stockholders:

On September 30 the available quick assets from the company exceeded $75,500,000. The proceeds of the two and three year 5 per cent notes, already subscribed, provide funds sufficient to take up the floating indebtedness of the company, which on September 30 was $4,305,069, also ample additional working capital to take care of present requirements.

The balance, up to $7,000,000, will be sold as needed at the Bessemer steel plant for a sheet and tin bar mill and for a rail mill. These extensions, as well as the increase of our coke capacity in the Connellsville district to provide our own necessities, have all been authorized by the board of directors.

The additional finishing capacity at the steel plant will provide for a full operation of northern blast furnaces, as well as an economical operation of ore and coal mines under the average conditions of business, which has heretofore not been the case. The physical condition of our properties which we operate is first class.

The oil production in the Indiana field has already become an important factor and shows promise with further development of a substantial increase. We have felt the general improvement in the iron and steel industry and have now sufficient business booked to insure full operation for the balance of this year, and with good prospects for the coming year.

### IS HALF A CENTURY OLD.

#### Semi-Centennial of Organization of Y. M. C. A. Work in This City Will Be Celebrated November 13.

The fiftieth anniversary of the inception of Young Men's Christian association work in Pittsburgh and the 38th annual meeting of the present organization, will be observed on Sunday, November 13.

Special exercises will be held in the Shadyside Presbyterian church in the morning, when addresses will be made by the Rev. Dr. Samuel T. Lowrie of Philadelphia, one of the original organizers of the movement 50 years ago; the Rev. William B. Hunt of Coshocton, O., the first corresponding secretary of the original association, and the Hon. H. Kirke Porter, a former president of the local organization.

In the evening an address will be delivered in the Nixon theater by the Hon. James H. Eckles, president of the Commercial National bank of Chicago, and former comptroller of currency under President Cleveland. Mr. Eckles was for many years president of the Chicago Y. M. C. A.

### WESTERN UNION POLE CASE IS FINISHED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—In the supreme court of the United States today the hearing of the case of the Western Union Telegraph Company versus the Pennsylvania Railroad Company was concluded, and the court took up the case of E. J. Smiley versus the State of Kansas. This case raises the question of the constitutionality of the state anti-trust law, which Smiley is charged with violating by forming a pool to control the price of grain.

### Dynamite No Terror to This Man.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Samuel Mitchell dashed into a burning barn here this morning and carried out a package of dynamite while spectators cheered his bravery. Mitchell went to the barn about daylight to secure tools. He attempted to light a lantern, but the head of a match snapped off. The barn was instantly aflame. It was learned that a quantity of dynamite was stored in the building and Mitchell rushed in after it to save adjoining buildings. He was painfully burned on the hands and arms.

**$2.00 to St. Louis and Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.**

Tickets with seven-day limit, good in coaches only, on sale every day except Friday and Saturday. Through trains leave Pittsburgh 8:30 a. m., 1:30 and 8.50 p. m., daily.

Let Spear feather your nest.

## President Ramsey Inspected Plans for Improvements

President Joseph Ramsey, Jr., of the Wabash railroad spent a very busy day in Pittsburgh yesterday looking after matters pertaining to the local work. He inspected the bids for the new freight depot, which is to cost $300,000. He suggested some minor changes in the details and when these have been made Vice President and Chief Engineer J. W. Patterson will award the contract. President Ramsey held a conference with Charles Donnelly, president of the West Side Belt, the property recently acquired by the Wabash interests. The deal was closed several weeks ago, but as yet the property has not been formally turned over to the Wabash people. It is said the present officials will manage the West Side until the Wabash officials arrange for men to operate the property. It is thought several of those now with the West Side will be retained. A telegram from St. Louis yesterday stated that President Ramsey is to have an assistant. When spoken to on the subject he said he already had several hundred and with their co-operation can take care of the Wabash interests. He denied the report that Charles M. Hays, the president and general manager of the Grand Trunk system, who resigned, is to be given an important position on the Wabash. President Ramsey intended leaving the city last evening, but was unable to. He will go to New York to attend a board meeting of the Maryland, of which road he was yesterday elected a director.

### B. & O. Improvements.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has let the contract to Patrick Farrell of Cincinnati for the construction of a 10-stall roundhouse at Grafton, W. Va., at an estimated cost of $40,000. A large new freight house is to be erected at Columbus, and new team tracks put in for the better accommodation of business at that point. The contract for building the freight house was awarded to James A. Stuart & Co. of Pittsburgh at an estimated cost of $100,000. The company has also let the contract for a new station at Uniontown, Pa., to T. E. Hill & Co. of Chicago, the structure to cost about $10,000. At Youngstown a new station is to be built in connection with the rebuilding of the New Castle division. It will cost about $30,000, and the contract has been awarded to Niedermeier & Restle of Youngstown, O. An extension is to be built to the freight shed and platform at Morgantown, which will cost between $8,000 and $10,000. This work will be done by Holbert & Spedden of Fairmont, W. Va.

### Convention of Passenger Agents.

An event of great interest to local railroad officials is the annual convention of the traveling passenger agents of the United States, which will be held this year in Mexico City. About 400 officials will be in attendance. The convention will be held the second week of December. Among the local officials who will attend the meeting are P. B. Sankey of the Pennsylvania lines, R. H. Stansell, Seaboard Air line; C. E. Brison, Northern Pacific; J. R. Jones, Chicago Great Western.

### Freight Men at Wheeling.

The freight officials of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad who are holding their semi-annual convention here left the city yesterday morning for Wheeling, Parkersburg and Martins Ferry. The party returned last night to Wheeling and this morning will go to Fairmont and other coal regions. They will return to Pittsburgh at 6 o'clock this evening. The convention closes with a banquet at the Hotel Schenley.

### Inspection Tour Ended.

The annual inspection of the Pennsylvania lines ended yesterday. General Manager G. L. Peck and the officials who accompanied him arrived in Pittsburgh in the afternoon after spending four days looking over the properties. Mr. Peck is expected to announce today the prize winners for having the best kept track. There has been much competition for the prizes heretofore and this year was no exception.

### Railroad Notes.

The Erie railroad is to spend over $30,000,000 on improvements. A new low grade freight line between New York and Chicago is to be built at a cost of $15,000,000.

### SUCCEED INSPECTORS OF STEAMBOATS REMOVED

#### Government Makes Appointments to Fill Vacancies Caused by the General Slocum Disaster.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Capt. Henry M. Seeley of Boston today was appointed inspector of hulls and Theodore T. Mersereau inspector of boilers in the steamboat inspection service at New York. These appointments are one of the results of the conclusions of the Slocum disaster commission, the appointees taking the places of Messrs. James A. Dumont, inspector of hulls, and Thomas H. Barrett, inspector of boilers, whose removal from the service for laxity and neglect in performing their duties has been directed by President Roosevelt.

Capt. Seeley at present is an inspector of hulls at Boston and will be transferred to New York. He was one of the officers who made the examination of the conditions of the vessels at New York following the Slocum disaster. Mr. Mersereau now fills the position of assistant inspector of boilers at the port of New York, his new office being given him as a promotion for creditable work in the past.

### Grand Lodge Adjourns Sessions.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The grand lodge of Pennsylvania Ancient Order United Workmen adjourned today after a three days' session. The next biennial meeting will be at Cambridge Springs the third Tuesday of October, 1906. The title of past grand master workman was conferred on Dr. P. F. Eisenberg of Norristown, grand medical examiner, for eleventh continuous service. Past master workman jewels were voted to Joseph C. Smith, Harrisburg; Silas C. Kline of Greensburg and Morton Morris of Philadelphia.

### Injured by Falling Scaffold.

GROVE CITY, PA., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Alvin Rodgers and James Baird, stonemasons employed on a new building here, were injured as the result of a scaffold breaking today. The scaffold was 30 feet from the ground. A stone weighing 500 pounds had been raised when its weight broke the scaffold. Both men fell with the stone. Rodgers lit upon his head and injured his neck and back, while Baird was struck in the side by a plank and injured internally.

### Tibetan Mission Resumes March.

PARIJONG, TIBET, Oct. 19.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The weather has cleared and the British mission, which had been delayed here by a heavy snowstorm, has resumed its march.

### DELAYED THE BURIAL.

#### Undertaker, Fearing for Bill, Removed Woman's Body from Coffin.

Health Officer George Moore is investigating a case which was brought to his attention yesterday by neighbors of Mrs. W. C. Martz, who died at 616 Larimer avenue. Nearly all of yesterday the body of Mrs. Martz lay in her home uncared for. It is claimed by the police and neighbors of the woman that after the remains had been prepared for burial they were removed from the casket by the undertaker, who feared he would have difficulty in collecting his money. The casket and shroud were both removed from the house to the undertaking establishment.

The husband and eldest son of the dead woman are said to be in the workhouse. There are two other sons and a daughter, but none are able to provide burial for their mother. The department of charities will probably take the matter in charge at once.

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### OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Office of City Clerks.
City of Allegheny, Pa., October 20, 1904.
Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the city of Allegheny on the 19th day of October, 1904, and was referred to committee on public works.
LAFAYETTE WILLIS, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Euclid avenue, Tenth ward, from Harrison avenue to Irwin avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Euclid avenue, Tenth ward, from Harrison avenue to Irwin avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

### OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Office of
Controller of Allegheny County.
Pittsburgh, Pa., October 10, 1904.
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, October 24, 1904.
For printing and binding 328,715 official ballots.
For printing 82,170 specimen ballots.
For printing and binding 32,871 official reserve ballots.
For printing 8,217 specimen reserve ballots.
To be used at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 8, 1904.
Specifications and any further information may be had at the county commissioners' office.
Bonds in double the amount of the bid must accompany each bid. Bids must be addressed to county commissioners and indorsed "Proposals for Printing Ballots."
The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
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County Controller.

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